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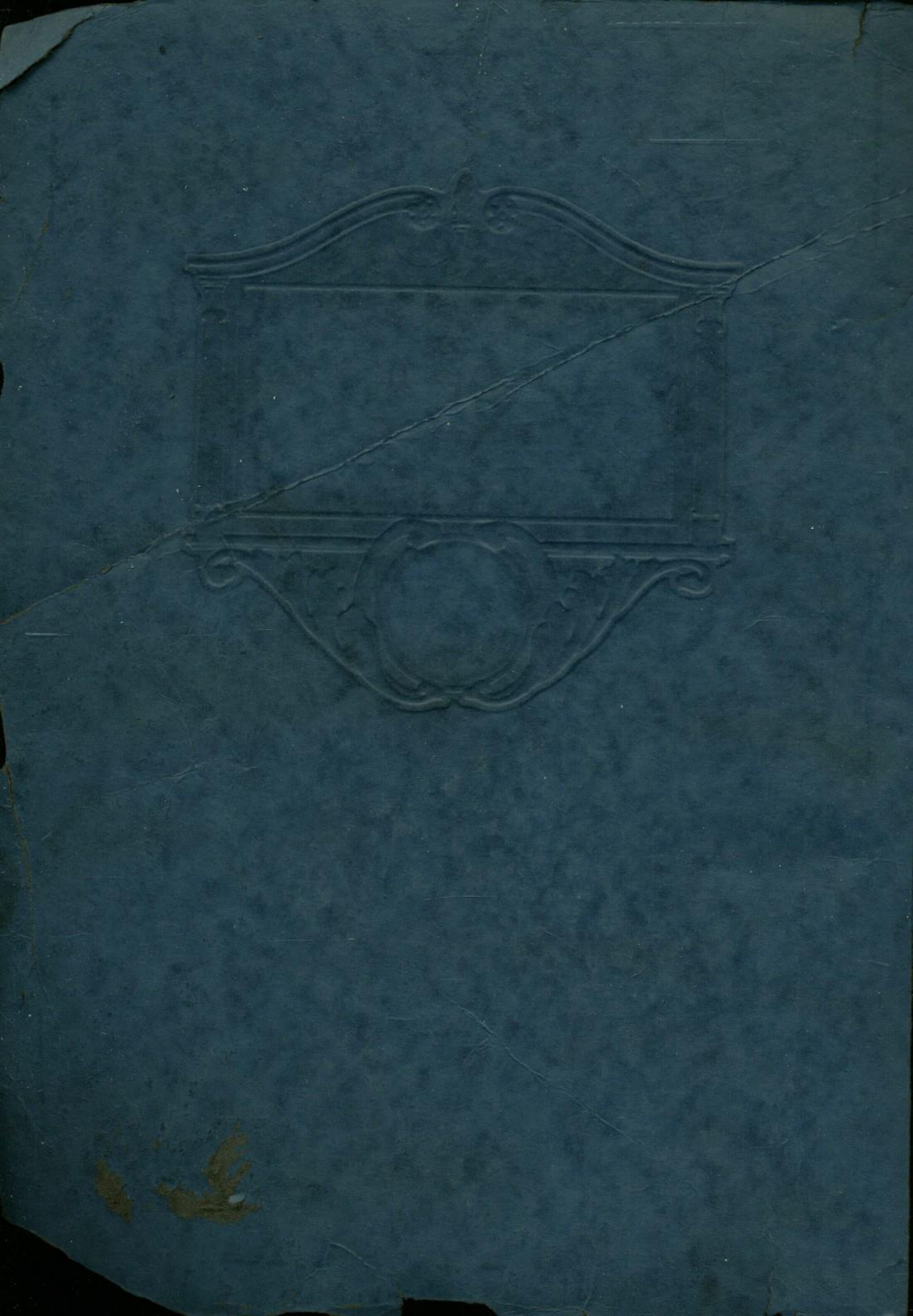

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SEDALIA
HIGH SCHOOL'S
YEAR BOOK

PUBLISHED BY THE
SENIOR CLASS

DEDICATION

To
Smith-Cotton High School

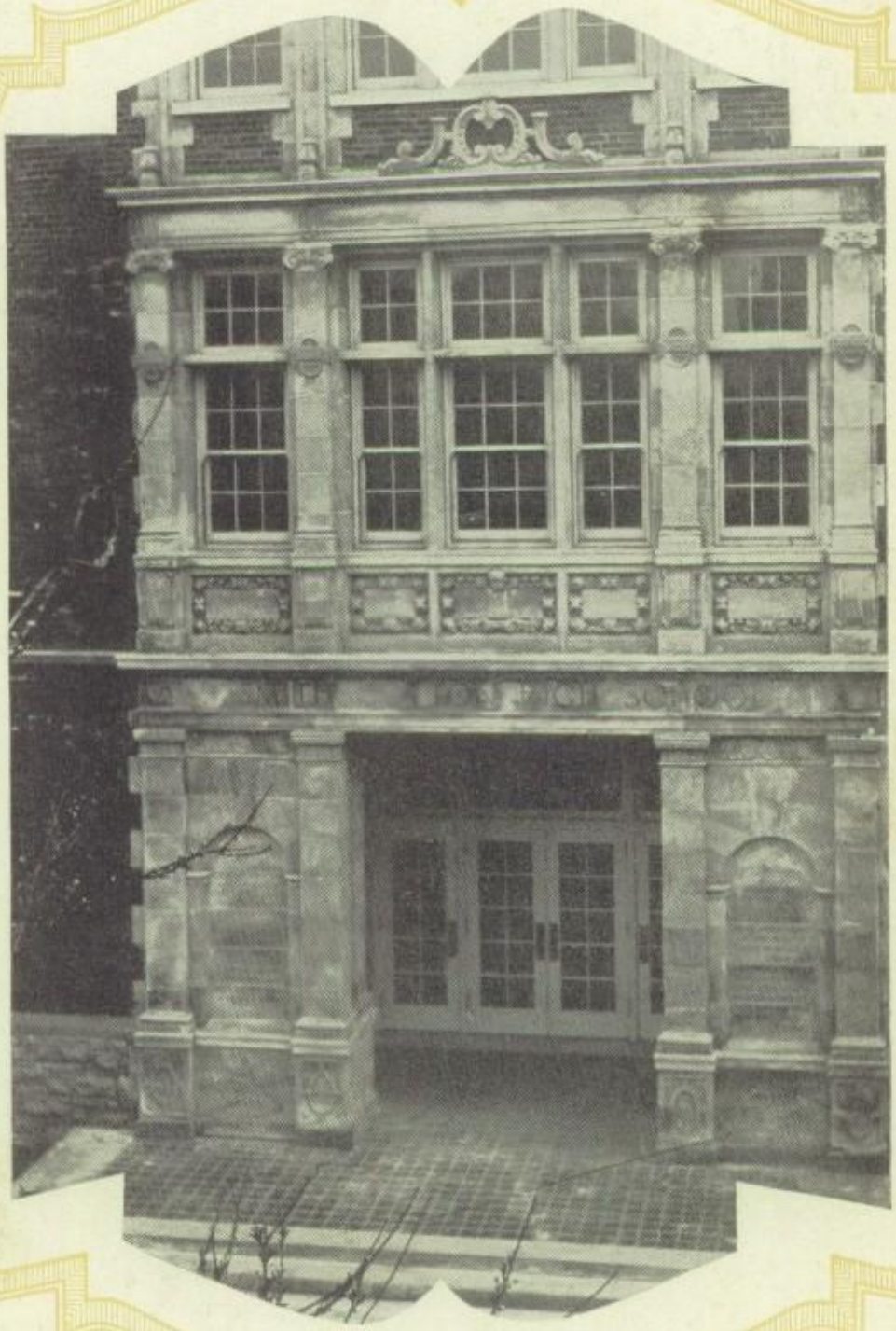
Majestic structure, thing of beauty:
In a class you stand alone.
You don't know just how we love you,
For you're made of brick and stone.

You're a monument to learning
And our hearts swell up with pride,
As we stand and look you over,
End to end and side to side.

May you send forth men and maidens
Worthy of highest fame,
Filled with knowledge and ambition,
Making for themselves a name.

May we ever do you honor,
As we each go on our way,
While all happy memories linger
Till the closing of our day.

—C. D. C.



THE FOREWORD

TO RECORD in enduring and organized form the personnel of Sedalia High School and its activities for the school year of 1924-25 has been the purpose in preparing these Archives

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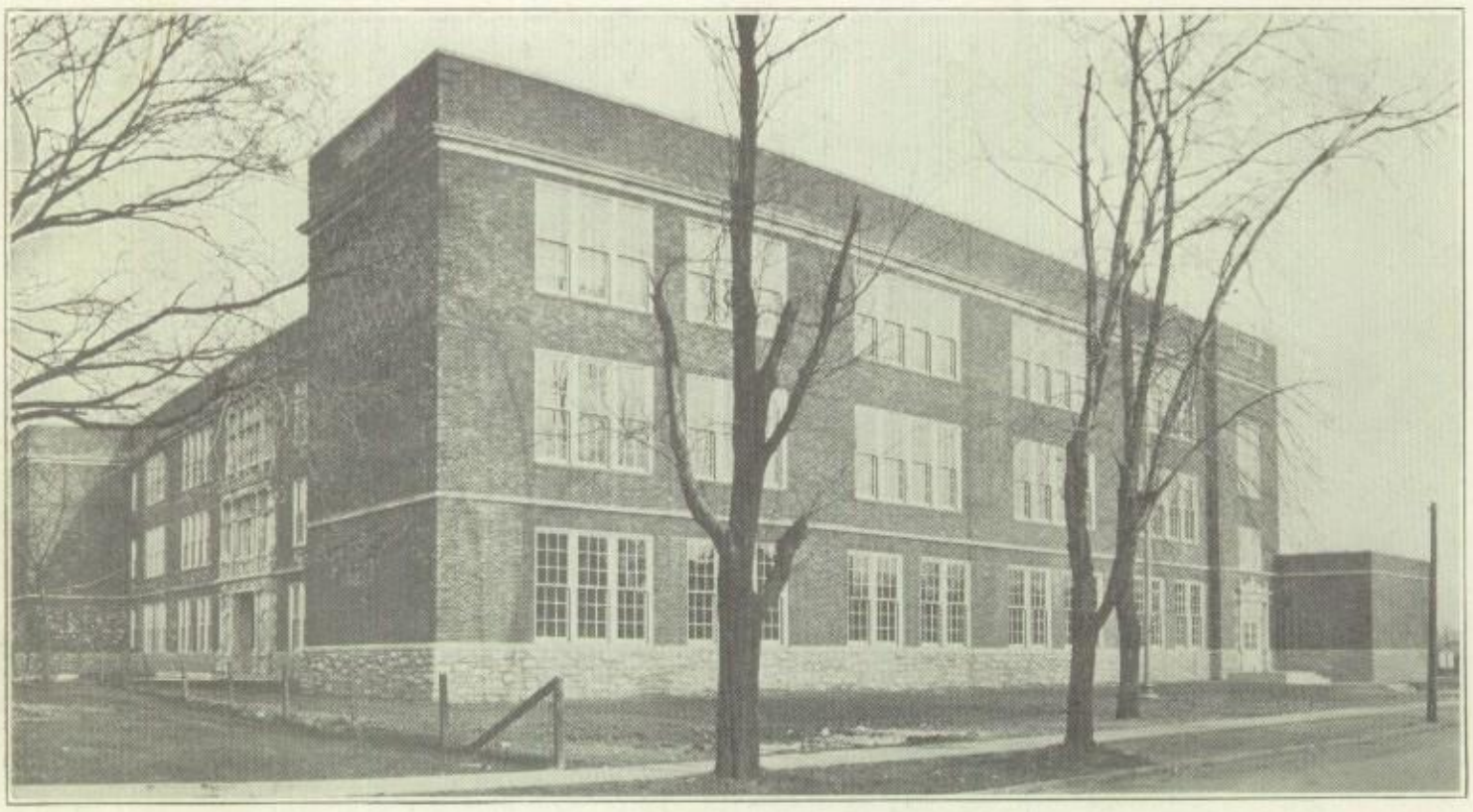

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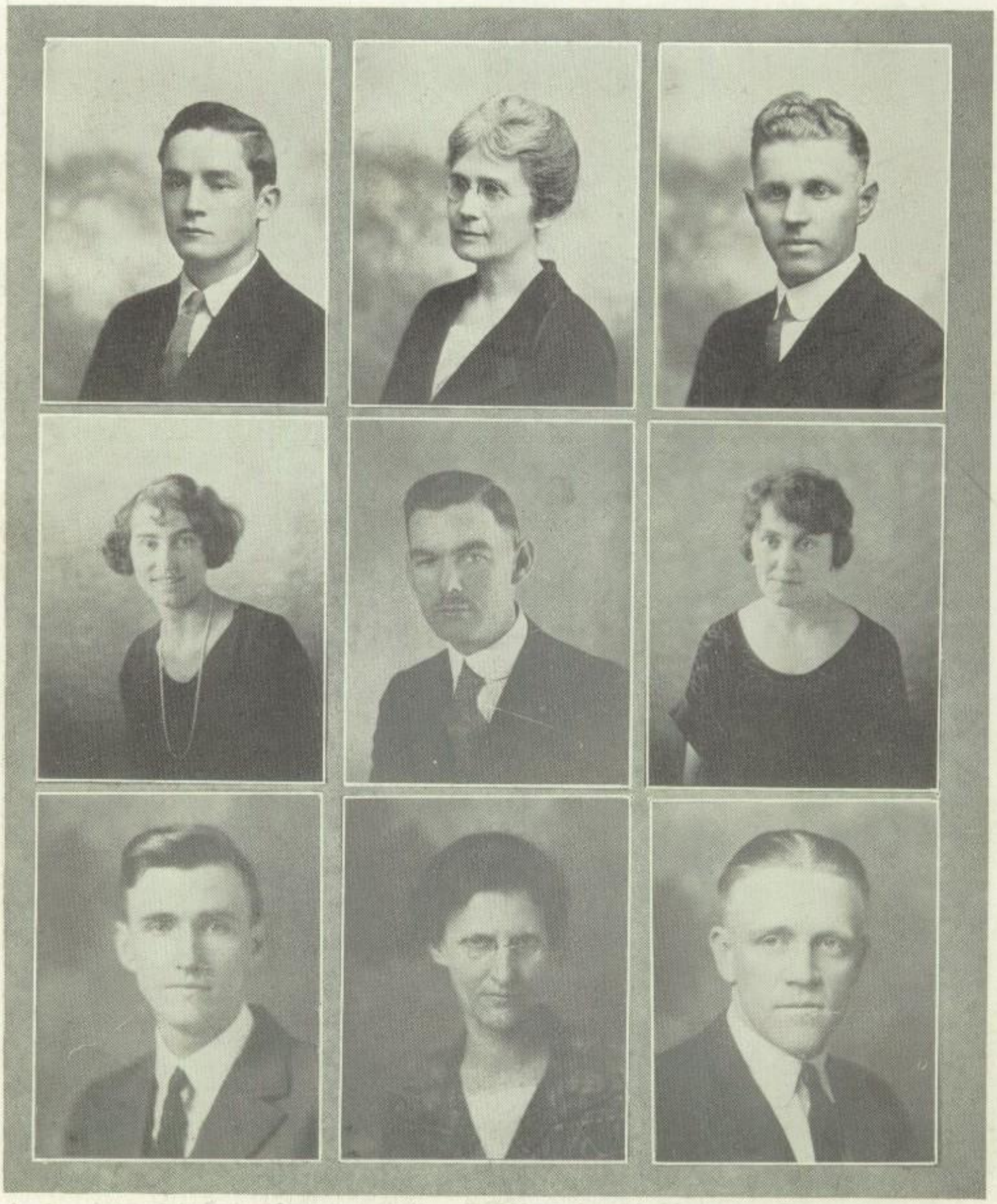

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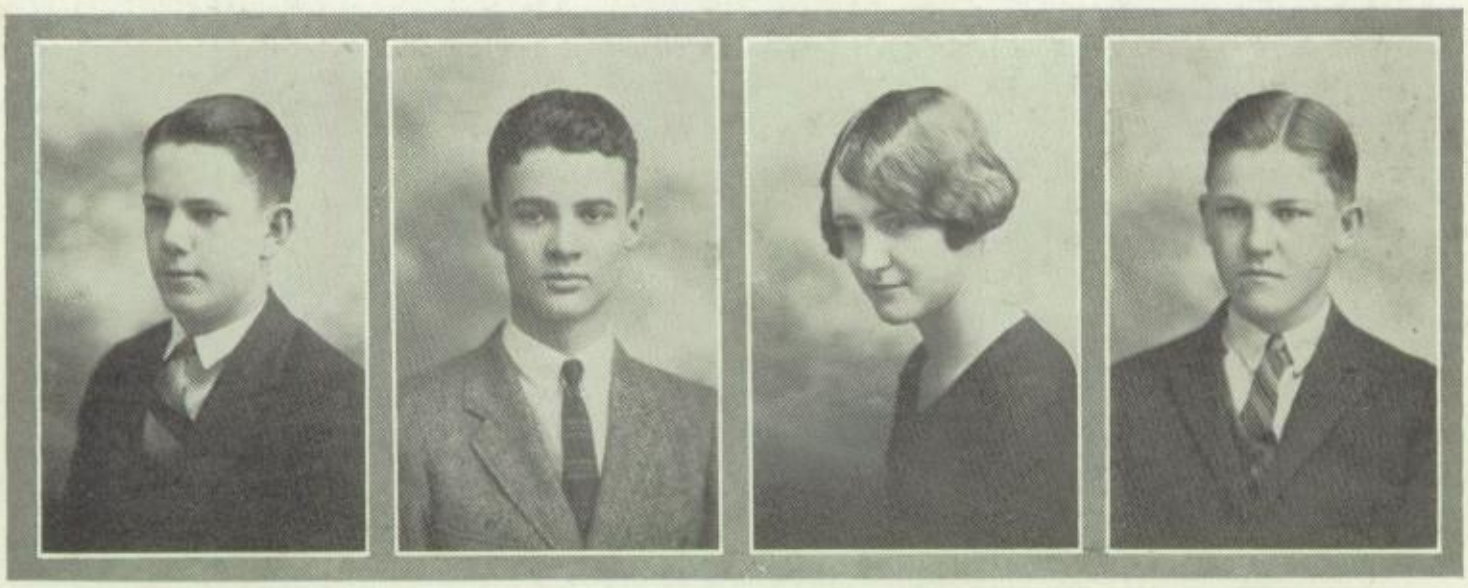

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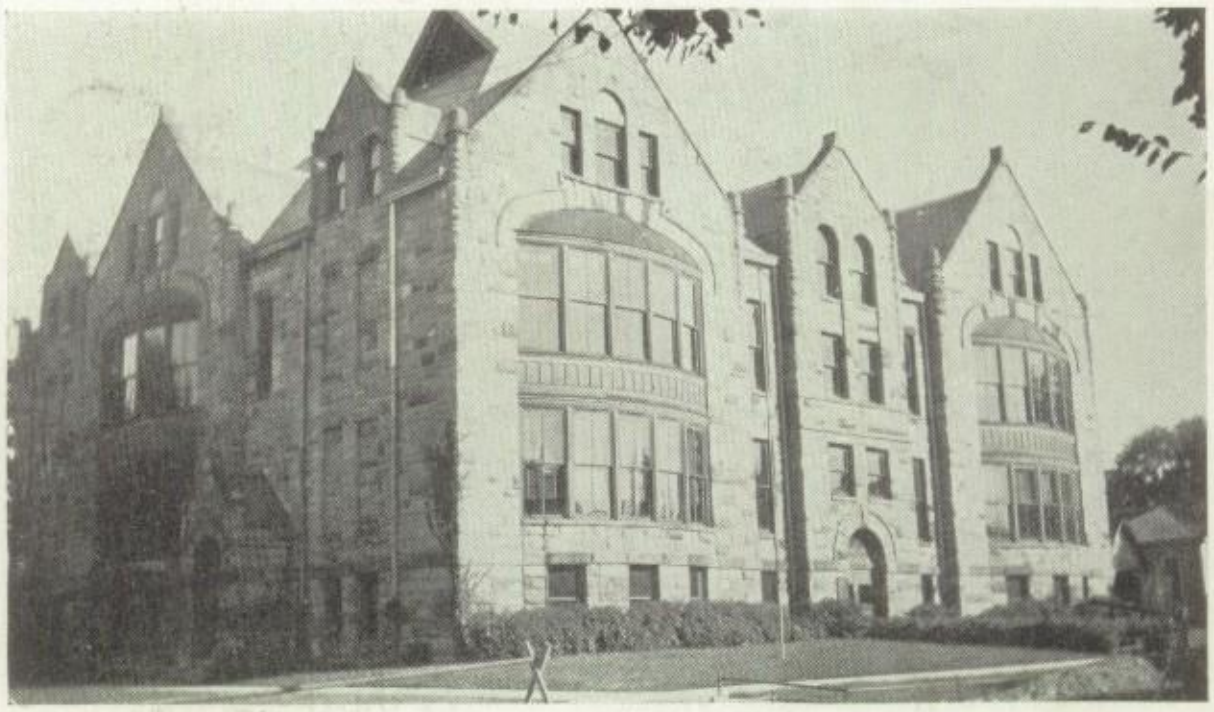
Book II

Classes



The Old High School

Good bye, dear old high school,
You afford us many joys,
But your sides are fairly bursting
With so many girls and boys.

You have been a faithful servant,
And we wish to tell you so,
But you don't meet our requirements;
You're not modern, don't you know.

So we're moving to a new place,
Where we may all expand.
Where class rooms are as countless
As the mighty desert sands.

Many happy memories
We'll associate with you,
But dear, old crowded high school
We are glad that we are through.

CHAS. D. CASELEY, '27

Nellie Satterwhite '25

Marie Simpson '25

Vera Hurley

Mabel Gieschen

Lucy Ardinger

Jeanita Gearhart '25

Lillie Rattlen '24

Bernice Campbell '26

Nancy Beale Shedid '25

Telitha Drake '26

Grace Enns Bobby '26

Olliebelle Rountree Senior '25

Elizabeth Williams '26

Ida Sisson '25

Mae Judith Enns '26

Gladys Hendricks '26

Beulah W. Anderson.

Alice Laudenberger '25

Gail Barbour '26

Phoebe Edwards '26 "Pete"

Regina Thompson Junior '25

Frances Stanley

Alice Metcalf '26

Herbert Rubb '25

SENIORS

Marie Bethke

Mildred E. Hunter "Billie" 26 Maybe.

HAROLD COLLINS, *"Huck"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Vice-Pres., Poster Club, '23; Sec. and Treas., '24; Treas. Dramatic Club, '25; Archives Staff, '25; Class Play, '25; "Come Out of the Kitchen."

"As a butler, he is 'h'exelent."

EVA MAE MCBRIDE, *"Eve"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Needlecraft, '24; Pres. Manual Arts, '25.

"Day after day she is bright and jolly.
Never has she been known to be melancholy."

NOLA WITTE, *"Nolee"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Poster Club, '23, 24, '25; Asst. Art Editor, Archives, '25.

"Like the butterfly extends her painted wings, so the smile on her face forever is dancing."

LAWRENCE BRILL, *"Brill"*

President of Senior Class; Editor-in-Chief Archives, '25; Yell Leader, '22, '23, '24, '25; Track, '24; Football, '24; "Pair of Sixes;" "Come Out of the Kitchen;" Class Play; Vice-Pres., Dramatic Club, '25; Pres. Hi-Y, '25.

"President, Editor, he's a proud father's son.
Find one more able? It can't be done."

FRANK ROTTLER

Freshman Chorus, '22; Theory Games, '22; President Science and Radio; Vice-President Boxing Club, '25.

"Don't talk about evolution to Frank, for he knows he's a perfect transcription."

ERBLEAN GEMINDEN

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Arts and Crafts, '24; Girl Scouts, '25.

"Always timid and bashful when called on to recite."

ELIZABETH LUCILLE MOORE, *"Betty"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Short Story, '23; Needlecraft, '24, '25.

"Golden Locks and kiss-proof rouge.
She knows nothing of sorrow and blues."

MORRIS SIMS, *"Rompers"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Red Cross, '23; Theory Games, '25; Football, '24.

"Putty Rompers is quite a sheik.
He has a new gal every day in the week."

LEWIS WALCH *"Nookie"*

Freshman Chorus, '21; Icebreakers, '22; Dramatic Club, '24, '25; Bus. Mgr., Archives, '25; Senior Play; "Come Out of the Kitchen."

"Just because I don't dance is no sign I'm not accomplished."

GRACE GARBER, *"Gracie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Short Story, '24; Red Cross, '25; Physical Training, '25.

"Gracie's very graceful, you'll always find her tasteful."

MARIAN KABLER, *"Red"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Folk Dancing, '23; Physical Training, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"In the ray of her beacon head you'll always find Harold Kane."

ALLAN FERGUSON, *"Fergie"*

Sec'y Freshman Class, '22; Sec. Icebreakers, '23; Vice-Pres. Sophomore Class, '23; Track, '24; Theory Games, '24; Football, '24; Sec. Senior Class, '25; Pres. Camp Cooking, '25.

"A man of action and not of words."

FRANKLIN CREAGAN, *"Creagie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Razzers, '22; Poster Club, '23; Hi-Y, '24, '25; Band, '24, '25.

"A word to the wise, 'Beware those eyes'."

HELEN RILEY, *"Irish"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25; "Come Out of the Kitchen;" Senior Class Play; Ass't Editor Archives, '25.

"In youth and beauty, wisdom is but rare."

LENA HUNTER, *"Billy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '23, '24, '25; Class Queen, '22, '24; "Come Out of the Kitchen," '25.

"Not always heard but always present."

MINOR L. HEDDEN, *"Hedden"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Theory of Games, '24, '25; Razzers, '22.

"Let others do the laboring and I will do the rest."

JAMES CLAY HOOD, *"Mud"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Theory Games, '24, '25.

"Far be it from me to blow my own horn. But just look me over and you'll know I raise corn."

MARY BOTTS

Freshman Chorus, '22; Junior Red Cross, '23; Arts and Crafts, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"Mary's figure extends so high in the air. We often wonder if she's quite all there."

HENRIETTA SCHLUSING, *"Billy"*

Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"She is wistful and charming so to say and just loves to drive a certain boy's coupe."

SHIELDS WILSON

Debate, '24; First Aid, '24.

"Shields had better buy a pair of radio head phones and leav'em on."

SARAH ELIZABETH STAPLES, *"Betty"*

Spiz, '25; Dramatic Club, '25.

"She's a newcomer in the school this year, so very sweet and full of cheer."

LOUELLA HARDY, *"Wer"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Neddlecraft, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25; Spiz, '22.

"To be a stenographer she does aspire. But there is no doubt of her being a Meyer."

REED STEELE

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Dramatics, '24, '25.

"A competent stage hand and actor too. Whatever he does, he's slow but sure."

LAWRENCE LAUPHEIMER, *"Lauppy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Orchestra, '23; Band, '24; Pres., '25; Hi-Y, '25.

He's a shark with the cards so they say. Beware of him, pards."

SUE MARTIN

Short Story Club, '25.

"Merry and friendly is our little Sue.
She likes her looks and teachers too."

DORTHY BEECH

Dramatic Club, '25.

"A well read girl, red freckles, red hair, red cars and loves red ties."

NATHAN JONES, *"Jones"*

Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"Isn't his name unique?"

HAROLD MCMILLAN, *"Mac"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Science Club, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"Another good guy gone wrong."

KATHRYAN RYAN, *"Kay"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts Reporter, '23; Pres. Physical Training, '24; Sec. Junior Class; Vice-Pres. Senior Class; Archives Staff.

"Popular, beautiful, and sweet."

FRANCES LA VENA STANLEY, *"Sis"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Red Cross, '22, '23; Spiz, '22, '23, '24, '25; "Pair of Sixes," "Come Out of the Kitchen;" Class Play.

"A sweeter daughter had no mother."

WILLIAM ARNOLD

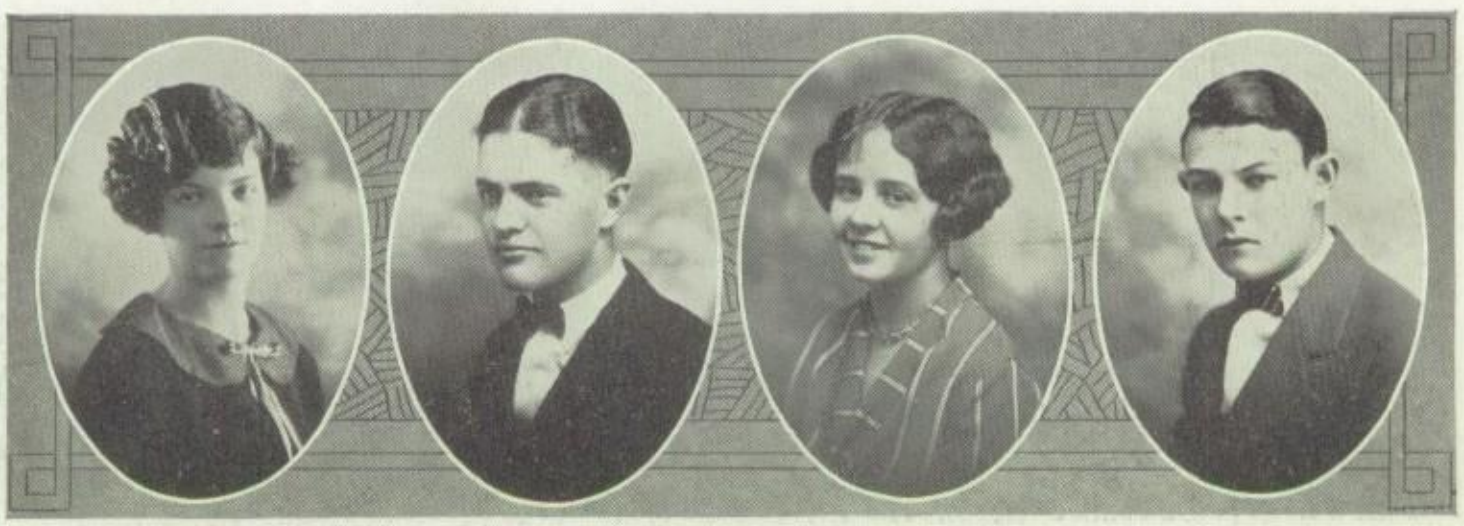
Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Debate, '24, '25; Dramatic Club, '25.

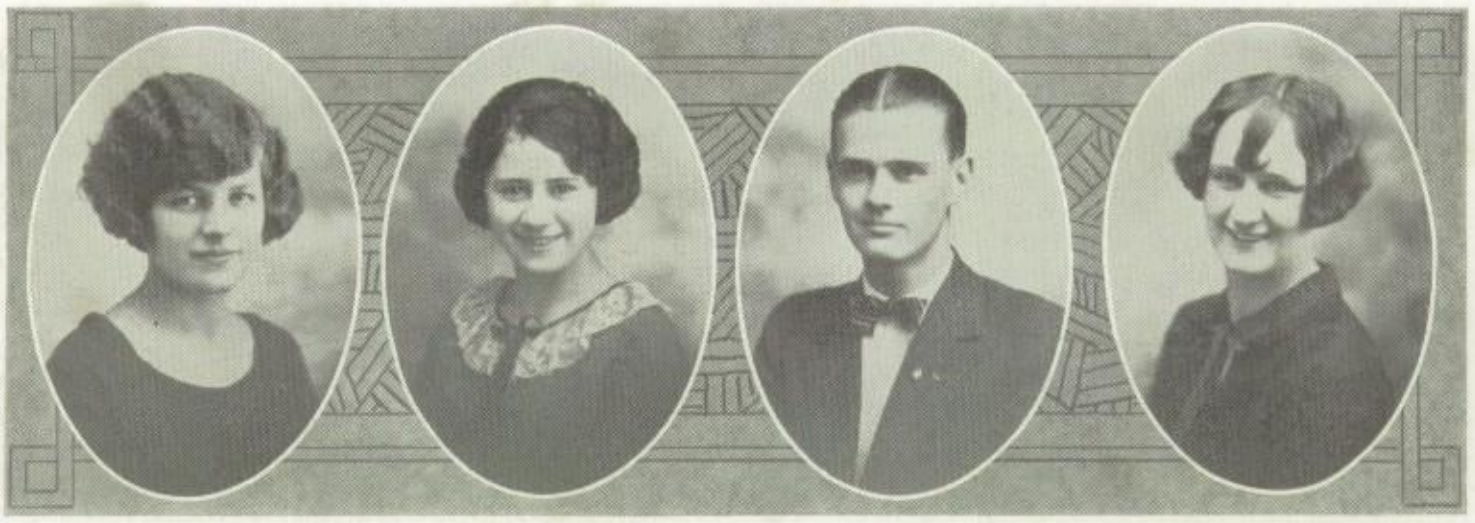
"Big bad Bill. We hardly know him since he fell in love."

NORMAN CHASNOFF, *"Chas"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Popular Science, '24; Camp Cooking, '25; Hi-Y, '25.

"Tight and stingy and so precise,
But give him a chance and he'll treat you nice."





HAZEL WINIFRED BROWN

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23, '24, '25.

"She is ambitious in all she tries.
She wins your heart with her pretty eyes."

MILDRED EDITH KRAFT, *"Mil"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Bible Study, '24; Icebreakers, '23; Needlecraft, '25.

"A no more craftier person did the needle craft have than Mildred Kraft."

EUGENE H. STRELOW, *"Gene"*

Freshman Orchestra, '22; Poster Club, '23, '24; Reporter, '25.

"The girls call him Hard Hearted Hanna's brother."

NOMAH LARGE, *"Pooch"*

Basketball, '23, '24, '25; President Spiz, '24; Ass't Cheer Leader, '24; "Come Out of the Kitchen;" Class Play; Sylvia, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"A genuine lady in real full measure.
A darn good scout, I don't mean maybe."

EUGENE PHILLIPS. *"Gene"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23. Boxing Club, '24, '25.

"He has a typist's fingers, he has a typis'ts ways;
He'll be a real typist some one of these days.

VIRGINIA WHITE, *"Ginger"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25; Spiz, '24, '25.

"Isn't it a shame, but ne'er a sheik has she vamped just yet."

VERA HURLEY

Freshman Chorus, '22; Orchestra, '23, '24, '25; Spiz, '23, '24, '25; Orchestra Librarian, '24, '25.

"She says she's going to take up cosmetics at college."

CLAUDE ALEXANDER, *"Alex"*

Basketball, '22, '23, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"Venetian Merchant, Shakespeare and Burke.
Never was he known his duty to shirk."

OLLIEBELLE ROUNTREE, *"Al"*

Freshman Chorus, '23; Arts and Crafts, '23; Dramatics, '24, '25; Spiz, '22, '23.

"To her growth there is no end but even at that she is liked by all men."

ROBERT ROBERTS, *"Red"*

Science Club, '24; Dramatics, '25.

"Some day on the screen you'll see 'Red' Roberts, as act seems to be his hobby."

IDA ESTILLE SISSON, *"Sis"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Orchestra, '24; Glee Club, '25.

"With her wavy black locks and painted cheeks, she wins the attention of many a sheik."

ANNA JOSEPHINE WERLEY, *"Bobbie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Country Life Club, '23; Glee Club, '25.

"Beauty and wisdom always makes a rare combination, especially if she's modest."

ROBERT HULL, *"Bob"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Glee Club, '23; Bible Study, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"If you want a favor done, call on 'Bob,' and it'll be done."

BLANCHE KLEIN, *"Bucky"*

Icebreakers, '25.

"We wonder if 'Bucky's' name will always be Klein."

THELMA RODENBACH

Freshman Chorus, '22; Country Life, '23; Needle Craft, '24; Etiquette, '25.

"By little smiles that soothe and cheer,
She makes her presence ever dear."

EDWARD EARL BRUMMET, *"Ed."*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Popular Science, '24; Science Club, '25; Theory Games, '25; Football, '25; "S" Club, '25.

"A better man than Brummet never stood in the shadow of a goal post."

BLANCHE SMITH

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Sec. Arts and Crafts, '24; Sec. Manual Arts, '25; Spiz, '22; Red Cross, '22, '23, '24, '25.

"There is no limit to her intellect.
An exam to her is no more than a speck."

JAMES MITCHELL, *"Jimmy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '22, '23, '24, '25; Debate, '25.

"From the way we were bothered during the past four years, Jimmy will be a great politician some day."

HELEN JAMESON, *"Dutch"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23, '24, '25.

"In winter when to school must go,
I long for the summer when the warm winds do blow."

EDWARD CONNOR, *"Eddie"*

Freshman Orchestra, '22; Senior Orchestra, '23; Band, '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y, '24, '25.

"What's a wash rag and a dirty neck between friends."

NELLIE SATTERWHITE

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Physical Training, '24, '25.

"As little as a star in the sky,
You wouldn't think she was a senior in High."

PAUL TIETZE, *"Slats"*

First Aid, '22; Science Club, '23, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"Here's a regular hard luck 'ace.'
There is more to say but we haven't the space."

MARY FRANCES GRIFFITH

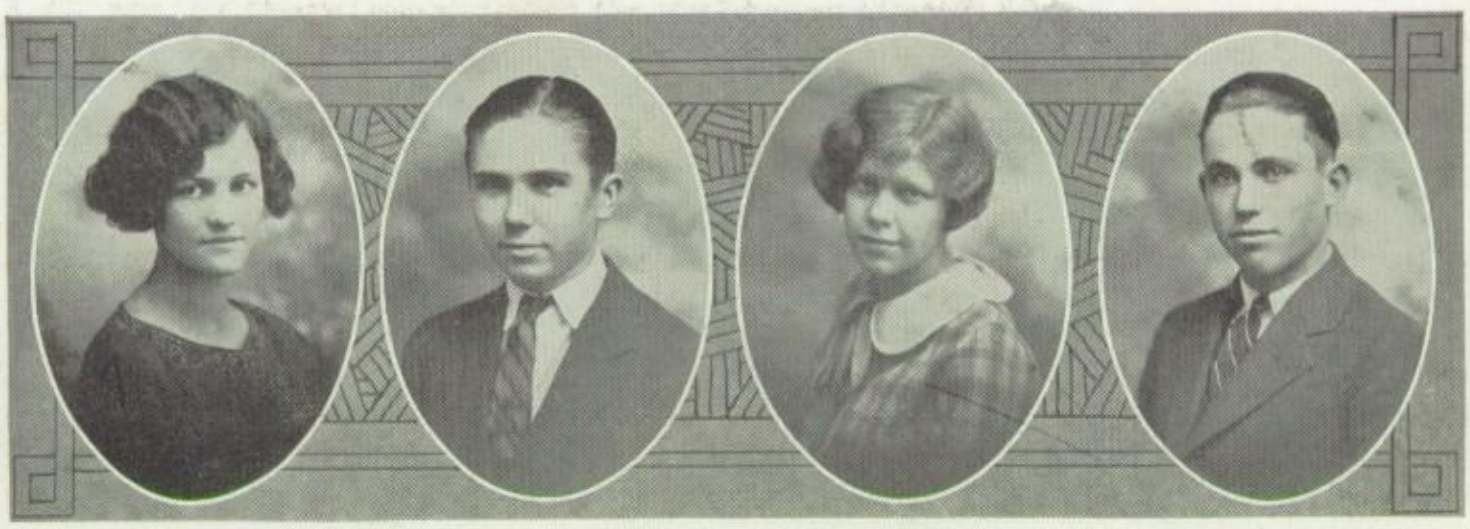
Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Etiquette, '24; Sec. Needlecraft, '25.

"In looks or work or healthful play,
She always does her best each day."

LLOYD MEYERS

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Science Club, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"He's a romer that's never tardy.
Quite the match for little Miss Hardy."



MARY MITCHELL, *"Scoots"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '23, '24, '25; Spiz, '23, '24, '25.

"How many deeds of kindness this girl can do, but she has a big red car and lots of spare time too."

LAVERN ROBERTS, *"Babe"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Classical Club, '23; Red Cross, '22, '23; Glee Club, '24; Physical Training, '25.

"No you're mistaken, she doesn't appear for recitation recitals."

JOE DILLARD

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Science Club, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"He thinks and thinks—once in a while."

ROSS CUNNINGHAM, *"Flossy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Icebreakers, '24; Theory Games, '25.

"Study? Why what do you think I am? I'll tell you—I'm a Cunningham."

MAE BOYER

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Vice-Pres. Needlecraft, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"Of a handsome boy she's very, very, fond.
She has no objection of being a blonde."

VIOLET MILLER, *"Vi"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Glee Club, '24; Physical Training, '25.

"Her average answer to all questions asked her is, 'I donna know'."

RICHARD RISSLER, *"Dick"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Theory Games, '23; Science Club, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"This young man's fancy in the spring
Is to have (?) and a nice porch swing."

IRVING GEORGE HOOD, *"Jack"*

Freshman Orchestra, '22; Debate, '23; Theory Games, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"When he's around you'll need no light,
His pretty red hair will illuminate just right."

BERNADINE CUSTER

Glee Club, '22, '23, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"She doesn't like to study, but likes to go out for a ride with Walter, her beau."

DALE CANNADY, *"Dazzy"*

First Aid, '23; Icebreakers, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"To us, Dale is what we call The Country Gentleman."

LEE REDMOND, *"Sheik"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Red Cross, '23; Razzers, '23; Theory Games, '24, '25.

"We'd like to put him wise—
but he's one of those guys—
he's in love."

HELEN YEATER

Short Story Club, '24, '25.

"There is no equal to her lengthiness. Nor yet no surpasser of her kindliness."

WILLA WITCIG

Freshman Chorus, '22; Bible Study, '23; Needlecraft, '24; Manual Arts, '25.

"A dove may be clad in a plainer attire,
But her manner and intellect more pleasure inspire."

WILLIAM FREDKIN, *"Willie"*

Orchestra, '22, '23, '24, '25; Razzers, '22, '23.

"Without his glasses his music is very inspiring."

MARY NORINE SULLIVAN, *"Nona"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Needlecraft, '23; Etiquette, '24; Manual Arts, '25.

"She prized her golden locks, till just a short time ago."

LYNNE HANKS, *"Chubby"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Classical Club Reporter, '23; Sec. Short Story Club, '24; Manual Arts, '25.

"Capable and accurate, competent and otherwise, a very nice girl for some of you guys."

MARGUERITA LEE DOUHGVERTY, *"Bobby"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Vice-Pres. Poster Club, '23; Treas. Dramatic Club, '24.

"Very sweet and brilliant of mind, will do you a favor anytime, anywhere."

ROY BROWN, *"Brownie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Inter-class Track, '22, '23; First Aid, '23; Junior Pres. Debate Club, '24; Camp Cooking, '25; Senior Officer.

"Under the spreading chestnut trees—nuff said."

MARGARET MCGAW, *"Peggy"*

National Oratorical Representative, '25; Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"Intelligent, jolly and full of glee.
A more lovable companion, there never can be."

CHARLES FERGUSON, *"Fergie"*

Dramatic Club, '24, '25; Quill Club, '22, '23.

"Charley's always looking for some one who has just left."

"We wonder who it is."

GRACE HAZEL RICHARDS, *"Pat"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Orchestra, '24; Dramatics, '25.

"A great librarian she's doomed to be.
Her natural wave is as red as can be."

ANDREW TYSON, *"Andy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '22; Science Club, '23; Theory Games, '24, '25; Football, '24.

"Andy was always handy at opening a hole for our dandies."

LUCILLE GOTTSCHALK

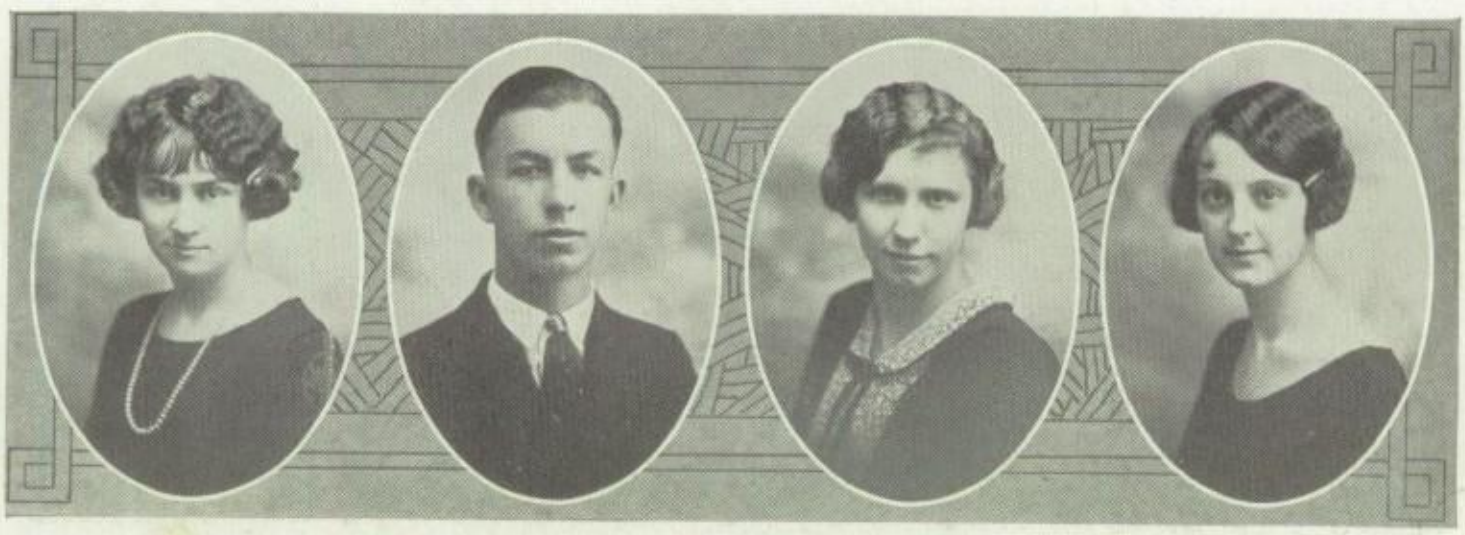
Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '22; Needlecraft, '23; Etiquette, '24; Leadership of Recreation, '25.

"What's in a name? I'm going to change mine."

DORTHY LEE DUFFIELD, *"Dot"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23, '24, '25; Pres. Glee Club, '25; "Sylvia," '24; "The Swallow," '25.

"Galli-curci's understudy."



RICHARD GRAY, *"Dick"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Icebreakers, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"Quite a sheik is this little Dick. When he joined the "Met" he got quite a kick."

JUANITA GEARHART, *"Nita"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Short Story, '23; Dramatics, '23; Physical Training, '24, '25.

"Tall and slender and lots of fun. Has lost of friends by her winning ways."

CLEO LAFERN THOMPSON, *"Tommie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Needlecraft, '23; Physical Training, '24, '25.

"She is Miss Snell's right-hand assistant. In choosing her dates, she is very resistant.

JOSEPH KENDIS, *"Joe," "Fat"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Razzers, '23; Band, '23, '24, '25.

"This is a mighty tough boid.
John Silver didn't have a chance."

FLORA GALBREATH, *"Flo"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Physical Training, '24, '25.

"She likes to run around and be on the go. She's looking out for a beau."

MARY LLOYD FREUND, *"Mary"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Etiquette, '24; Glee Club, '25; Debate, '25.

"You can see she's intelligent—
Take a squint at her looks."

ELLEN THORPE

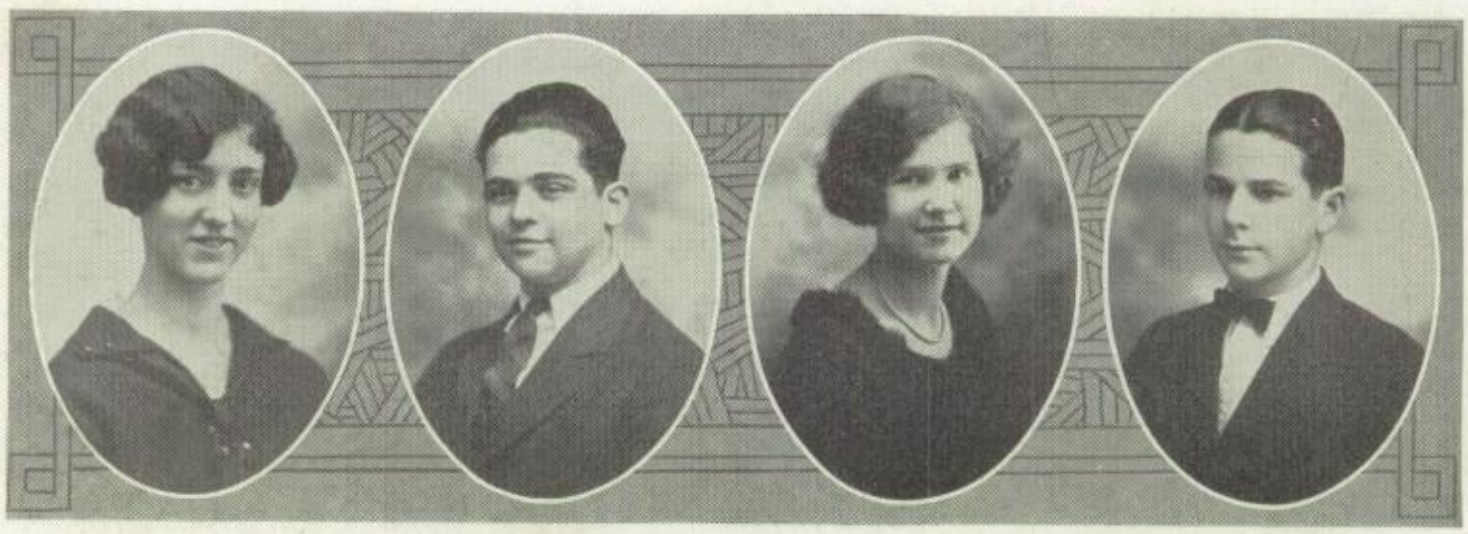
Etiquette, '24; Girl Scouts, '25.

"She is never bothered with exams. She's always on top with her systematized plans."

JOSEPH COHN, *"Joe"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Inter-class Basketball, '22; Hi-Y, '23, '24, '25; Poster Club, '23, '24; Dramatics, '25.

"Juicy" aspires to be a basketball man. It's sure too bad he's such a little man."



EDITH KEERAN, *"Skeet"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Glee Club, '25; Red Cross, '24.

"Clever and neat in all she does. A girl to make good wherever she goes."

ERNEST HOLTZEN, *"Ernie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Treas. First Aid, '23; Icebreakers, '24; Sec. Camp Cooking, '25; Hi-Y, '23.

"Ernie always looks at the Kid's knees. He's going to be a M. D. some day."

MABEL SMITH, *"Muck."*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Etiquette, '24; Manual Arts, '24.

"She's as dignified as a preacher.
Always looking forward to being a teacher."

BYRON CHRYST

Freshman Chorus, '22; Bible Study, '23; Debate Club, '24; Icebreakers, '25.

"Ask him who arched his eyebrows."

MARY VESTA RICKS, *"Rickey"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Etiquette, '24; Latin Team, '24; Classical Club, '25.

"Along the upward road she goes
To great success, despite her foes."

MARIE SIMPSON, *"Simmy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Orchestra, '22; Dramatics, '23; Physical Training, '24; Needlecraft, '25.

"She does her wagging on an L. C. Smith."

HUBERT BRYAN, *"Hub"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '22; Glee Club, '23; Science, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"We think that some day 'Hub' is going to be an orator."

ALICE DE JARNETTE, *"Allie"*

Freshmen Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Needlecraft, '24; Manual Arts, '25.

"Teacher! Teacher! Can't you see
What this lass is doomed to be?"

BERTHA BELL ROSE, *"Bert"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23; Needlecraft, '24, '25.

"She never speaks with a meaningless maybe."

RUBY STEELE, *"Bobby"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Etiquette, '23; Glee Club, '24, '25.

"As bright and shiny as her name, is friendly to all and treats all the same."

MILLER STOURP

F eshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '22; Icebreakers, '24, '25.

"Say, guy, come off of your perch. This is a school room and not a church."

WILLIAM SIMS, *"Bill"*

Theory Games, '23, '24, '25; Football, '23, '24; Basketball, '23, '24, '25.

"The girls admire our red-headed Bill. A man who will fight for anyone's good."

MARGARET ANTHONY, *"Marg."*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Physical Training, '24; Needlecraft, '25.

"Mark Antony was a man of great fame. So are his ancestors just the same."

ROBERT B. STOVER, *"Santa Claus"*

Debate, '25; Drum Major, '25; Archives Staff, '25; National Oratorical Contest, '25.

"This young man from Hannibal longs to be a beau but just won't go."

LELIA MAJOR, *"Lee"*

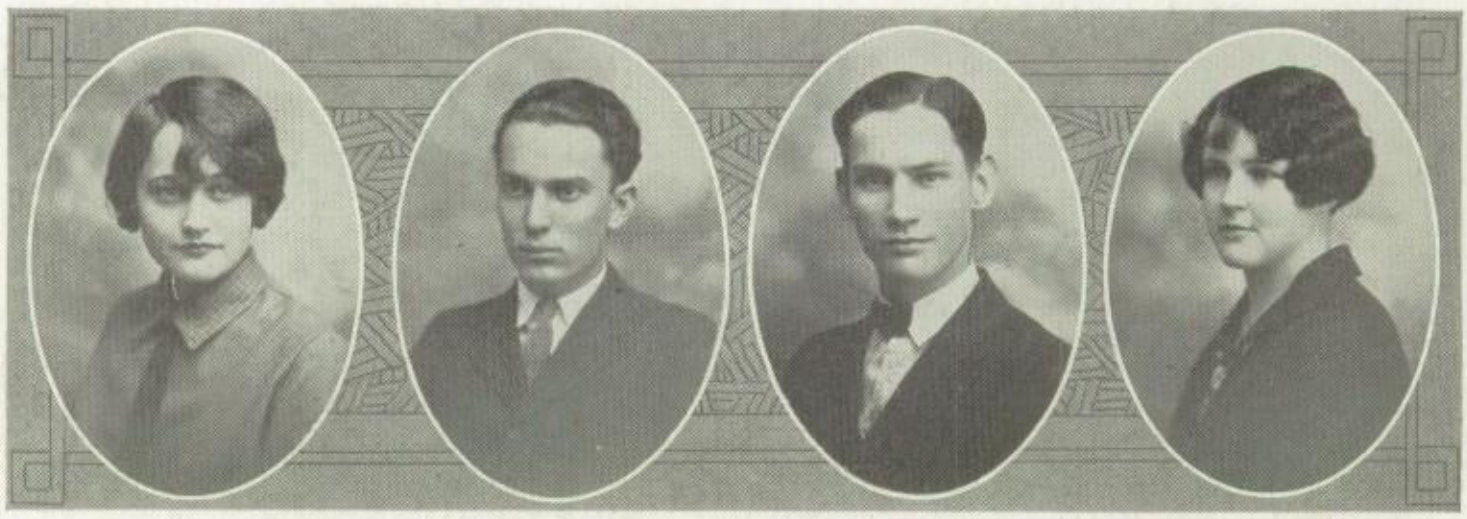
Freshman Chorus, '22; Classical Club, '23; Du-Rite Club, '24; Short Story, '25.

"If Missouri ever has a woman for governor, Lelia will be it."

ROBERTA SWERINGEN

Orchestra, '22, '23; Junior Gym, '24; Dramatic Club, '25; Spiz, '25.

"The kind of a girl men write poetry about."



HERBERT RUBLE, *"Hub"*

Theory Games, '23, '24, '25; Inter-class Track and Basketball, '22, '23, '24, '25; Football, '24, '25; Basketball, '24; Capt. '25; "S" Club, '24; Pres., '25.

"An athlete De Luxe."

JEAN MCCOY SHAIN, *"Muck"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Poster Club, '23; Reporter Icebreakers, '24; Vice-Pres. Junior Class, '24; Dramatics, '25; Pres. Spiz, '25; Basketball, '25.

"I like the great out-of-door."
'She gets enough in her T. B. Ford."

PREBLE DOWDING, *"Preb"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Pep Band, '23, '24, '25; Football, '23; Orchestra, '23.

"He played in the orchestra until they found out what was wrong."

FRANK DOW, *"Frankie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Athletic Editor Archives, '25; Football, '23, '24; "S" Club, '24; Theory Games, '23; Orchestra, '24; Band, '25; Basketball, '25.

"He can sing and he can dance.
Does most anything but study."

LAWRENCE WAYNE GIBBS

Orchestra, '22; First Aid, '23; Orchestra and Band, '24; Band, '25.

"He's going to have a band of his own some day."

FRANK AMOS MCCURDY, *"Frank"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Theory Games, '23; Boxing Club, '24, '25.

"You've got to handle with no-fingered gloves."

ANNA MOCK, *"Girlie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Vice-Pres. Needlecraft, '23; Dramatic Club, '24, '25; Class Queen, '23; Spiz, '22.

"One of the smartest lasses of the class."

DONOVAN KEMP, *"Don"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Theory Games, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"They go wild, simply wild, of him."

FRANK MIHIL

Freshman Chorus, '22; Theory Games, '23, '24; Science Club, '24; Interclass Baseball and Basketball, '22, '23.

"Frank is just a durn good fellow."

WALTER HAND, *"Walt"*

Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"We wonder if the Bride will get the Best Man."

ALICE URBAN, *"Al"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Physical Training, '24, '25; Basketball, '22, '23, '24, '25; Captain of Team, '25.

"An all-round girl, a real credit to the school."

ESTELLE ELLIS

"Quiet and pretty is this little lass. Never been known to be late to class."

MARGARET KERFOOT, *"Margie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '23, '24, '25.

"She chooses the 'Thorn' (burg) and throws the rose away."

CHARLES DERACKIN, *"Chuck"*

Theory Games, '24, '25; Football, '24, '25.

"He never takes no for an answer. He's a red-headed sheik in a little white Stutz."

CLARENCE COLEMAN, *"Coley"*

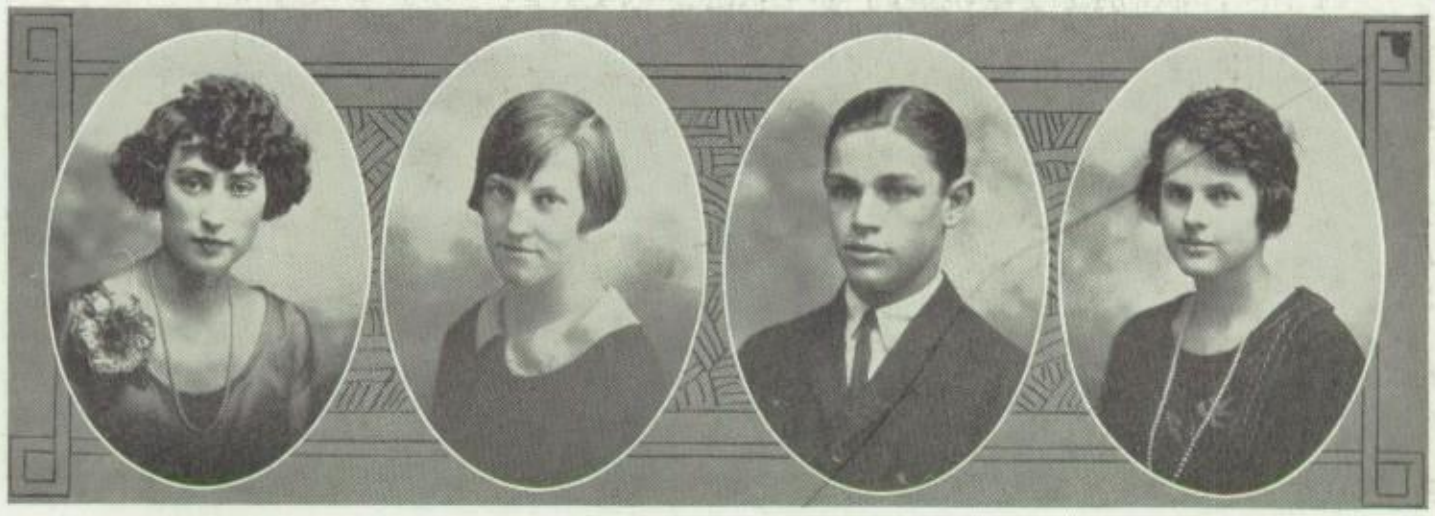
Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Science Club, '24; Camp Cooking, '25.

"A preacher, this lad aspires to be. We wish him luck in what he tries to be."

RUTH LOY

Freshman Chorus, '22; Glee Club, '23, Red Cross, '22, '23; Etiquette, '25; Sylvia; '24.

"No, those are real dimples."



ZELPHIA CAMPBELL, *"Babe"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Arts and Crafts, '23; Needlecraft, '24; Glee Club, '25.

"In making invitations she's a real shark. She invited them all to Pinhook Park."

PHILIP S. MOREY, *"Phil"*

Dramatic Club, '22; First Aid, '23; Theory Games, '24; Boxing Club, '25.

"Quiet and happy, and so care-free. Why are so few content like me?"

AUDREY PARKS

Freshman Chorus, '22; Vice-Pres. Arts and Crafts, '23; Icebreakers, '24; Etiquette, '25; Junior Reporter.

"Witty and gay is little Parky."

LOIS BROWN

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '23, '24, '25.

"Here's a toast to Lois:"
'Fair, Pretty and wise.'"

ARTHUR HALL KEMP, *"Kempie"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Theory Games, '24; Hi-Y, '23; Band, '24, '25; Joke Editor Archives, '25.

"The '25 Class wouldn't have been complete without "Kempie."

ETHEL JENKINS, *"Jasper"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Sec. Dramatic Club, '24, '25; "Miss Molly," "Irish Stew."

"A girl to make good in this big world."

ALICE LAUDENBERGER, *"Laudy"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; Icebreakers, '23; Etiquette, '24; Dramatic Club, '25; Debate, '25.

"A champion in debate, always willing and never late."

RALPH HALL, *"Bud"*

Freshman Chorus, '22; First Aid, '23; Scientific Review, '24; Boxing and Debate, '25.

"A 'Bud' without the Ham."

PEARL THEDICK

Freshman Chorus, '22; Dramatic Club, '23, '24, '25.

"On Pearl you can always depend whenever a class assignment is made."

ROBERT INLOW ("BOB")

Orchestra, '22; Band, '23, '24, '25; Hi-Y, '25.

"Barney Google, Andy Gump. He's always got Edith on the jump."

MAUD WEAVER

Freshman Chorus, '22; Bible Study, '24; Dramatic Club, '25.

"A girl who will rank near the head of the class."

JEROME HIERONYMUS

Boxing Club, '24, '25.

"He's all right; he's just girl shy."

KATHRYN PIPER

Girls' Chorus, '22, '23; Girls' Athletics, '24, '25; Dramatic Club, '24, '25.

"This little lass came from Marshall to graduate with our class. She's done the right thing is what we would say."

Class of 1925

AYE, well do I remember, 'twas in the early part of May. The court room was jammed. Spectators who could not push into the room, crowded the streets. Yes; all hearts with but a single thought—the sentence, would it be guilty or not guilty?

In the court room, interest was at highest pitch.

The jury filed in. The foreman of the twelve arose.

"Your Honor, without doubt the prisoner is guilty in every respect of the word."

The Judge: "Since the jury has found the prisoner guilty of participating in all activities, in fact of doing so much that the whole school will be given a back seat, I sentence the grandest Senior Class in the history of Sedalia High School to serve a life sentence burdened with the problems of life, in "Life's" memorable school.

The Class: "But, sir——"

His Honor: "'Tis said and done. I made this sentence because of your commendable work as students and as activity men, because this Class of '25 has shown itself capable of shouldering any burden that may be placed upon it. You Seniors have beaten a path for the Juniors to follow, and it will be the Seniors (next year's citizens) who will lead this nation of ours into an endless field of honor and glory."

The Class: "We solemnly pledge to give our full measure of devotion to do our share in the world."

So ended the High School career of the Class of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-five, the last and best class from Dear Old Sedalia High.

—L. A. B.

Senior Class Will

No will before from a Senior class
To classes to be next year, has ever
Been written to convey the meaning with
Such noble and dignified solemnity.

Good Luck! You Seniors of twenty-six,
Who lead the way into Smith-Cotton High.
For on you depends the success of retaining
The winning spirit of Our Dear Old High.

A campus you'll have, with its trees and shrubs;
Eternalize this beauty outstanding.
Set pace for others to follow,
And you've done something to be proud of forever.

Let's see you fight to maintain the right:
Allow no smoking whatever.
Keep green the grass and the walls unmarred,
Do this in the name of your Alma Mater.

To the Juniors and Sophs-to-be next year,
Your rights are few but your duties are many.
Follow your leaders and do what is right,
For your days are coming. Be prepared right.

Take this to heart and play your part,
And you'll be proud of yourselves some day.
Build a school spirit invisible and invincible,
With highest ideals of Honor, Valor and Glory
for—

SMITH-COTTON HIGH SCHOOL
The Senior Class of '25
By LAWRENCE A. BRILL

Book of Mildred Kraft Verts

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1960 Home Coming - Alice Urban Davis 3532 Highland, KC Mo

Jessie Williams Woodson - 26

Mary Lloyd Freund Wilson, Warrensburg Mo

Shields F Wilson, Warrensburg Mo

Anna Mock Beauchamp R#1 Elsberry

Zelphia Campbell Hill - Mora

Ralph W. Hood R5 Springfield

Nellie Satterwhite McVey Mapleton Mo.

Henrietta Schlusing Sutherland - Louisiana Mo 805 Georgia

Nannah Large Ebendorf - 1520 W 23 Park (Mrs H.E.) Topeka, Kans

Margaret Anthony Amos 1010 W. 4 Sedalia

Edith Keeran Moore, 314 - Allegheny St. Park Forest, Ill

Vera Hurley Riley 725 West 4th Sedalia Mo

Dorothy Bush Younger 5757 Beaumont Ave La Jolla Calif

Frances Stanley McGregor, Cotton Plant, Ark

C.W. "Jack" Younger 5757 Beaumont Ave La Jolla Calif

Minor L. Hedden 2816 Carolina Way Arcadia Calif

Hi! Alice Laudenberger Catron 206 Hart St., Jefferson City, Mo

Dick Gray 1004 S. Kentucky Sedalia Mo

Nola Coester 619 W. 23rd Sedalia, Mo.

JUNIORS

Blanche Smith McMillin 1022 N. Rutherford Macon Mo. Class 1925

W. Harold McMillin Macon Mo

Mary Mitchell Archias 1101 West Broadway Sedalia Mo

Best of Luck for the next 35 years

M. S. Kemper

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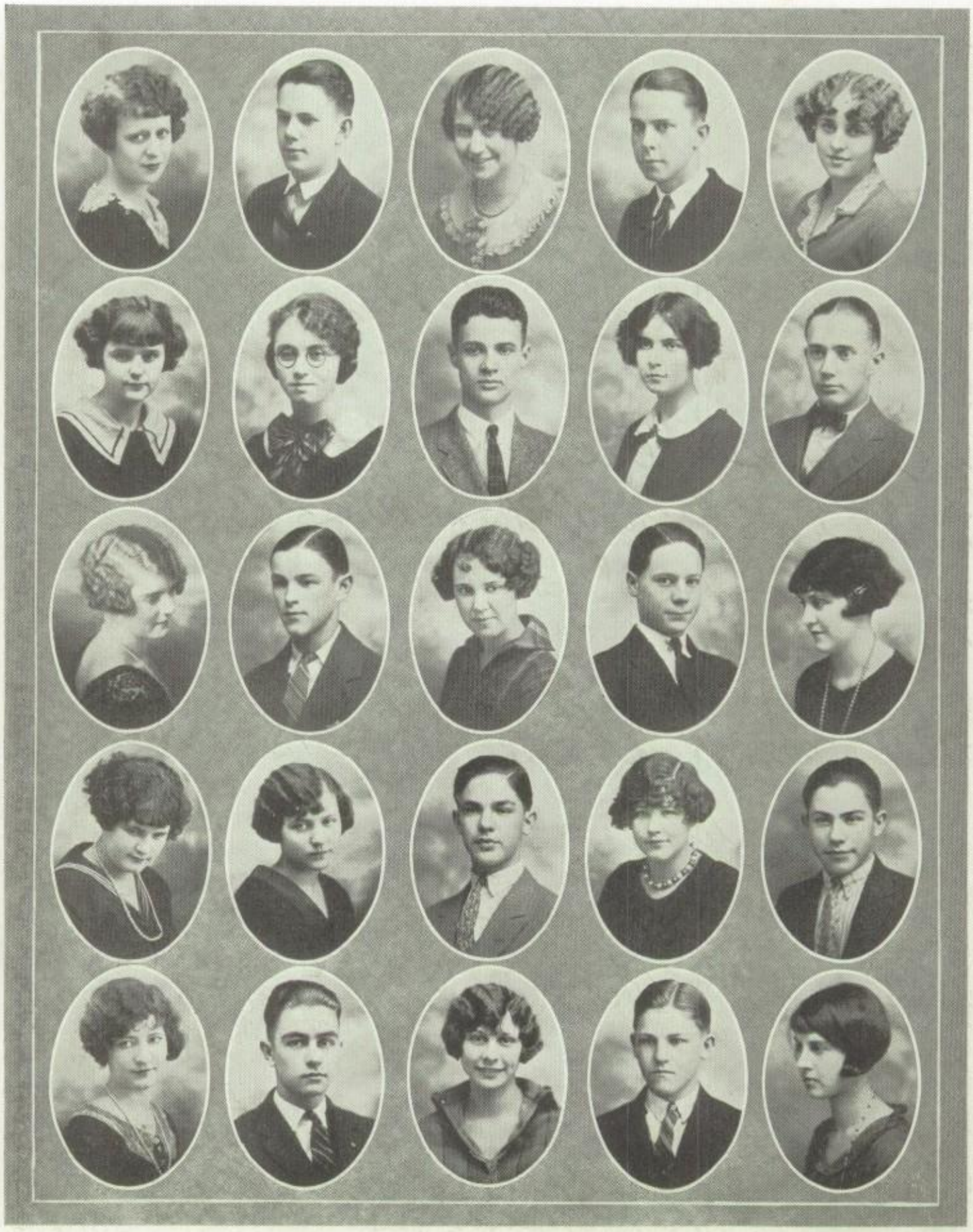

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Second row—Florence Brumbaugh, Marie Brennecke, Robert Kelly, Marguerite McVey, Junior Bishop

Third row—Louvera Page, John Phillips, Mary Wiley, William Finley, Nadine Janes

Fourth row—Elsie Maddox, Velma Dyer, Damon Hieronymus, Dorothy Suter, Earl Chambers

Fifth row—Beulah Kindred, Aaron Griffey, Mary Louise Lamm, Gail Jones, Corinne Clark

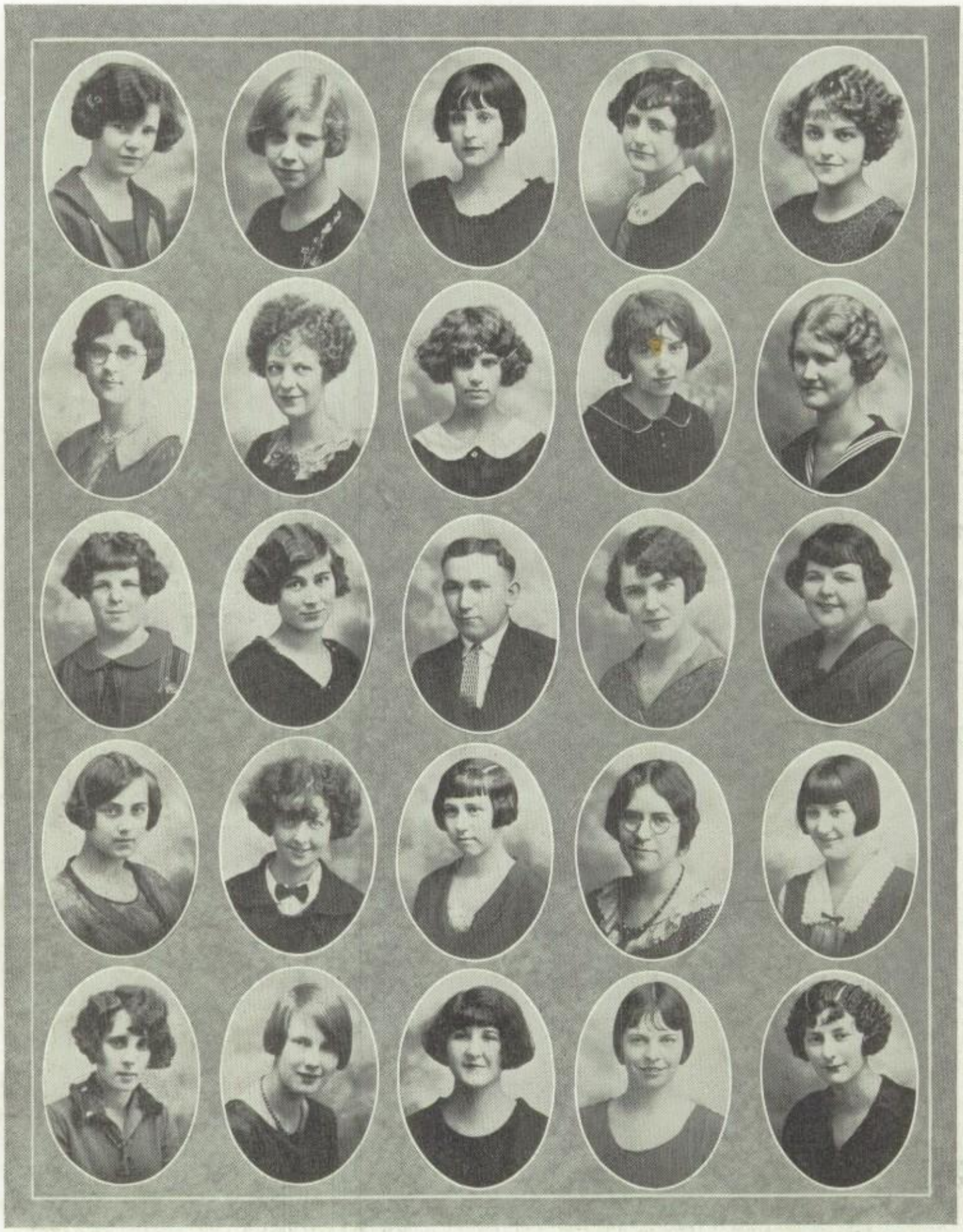
First row—Minetta Fraser, Richard Thorpe, Nora Rountree, Clarence Steele

Second row—Helen Brubaker, Virginia Dougherty, Bruce Claycomb, Margaret McElroy, Opal Smith

Third row—Helen Love, Wesley Dean, Bernice Russ, Felix Sullivan, Ardelle Warren

Fourth row—Allie Beard, Mildred Courtney, J. C. Logan, Arlice Brown, Lois Capen

Fifth row—Jessie May Carson, Orson Potter, Helen Kennedy, Dow De Jarnette, Elizabeth Urban



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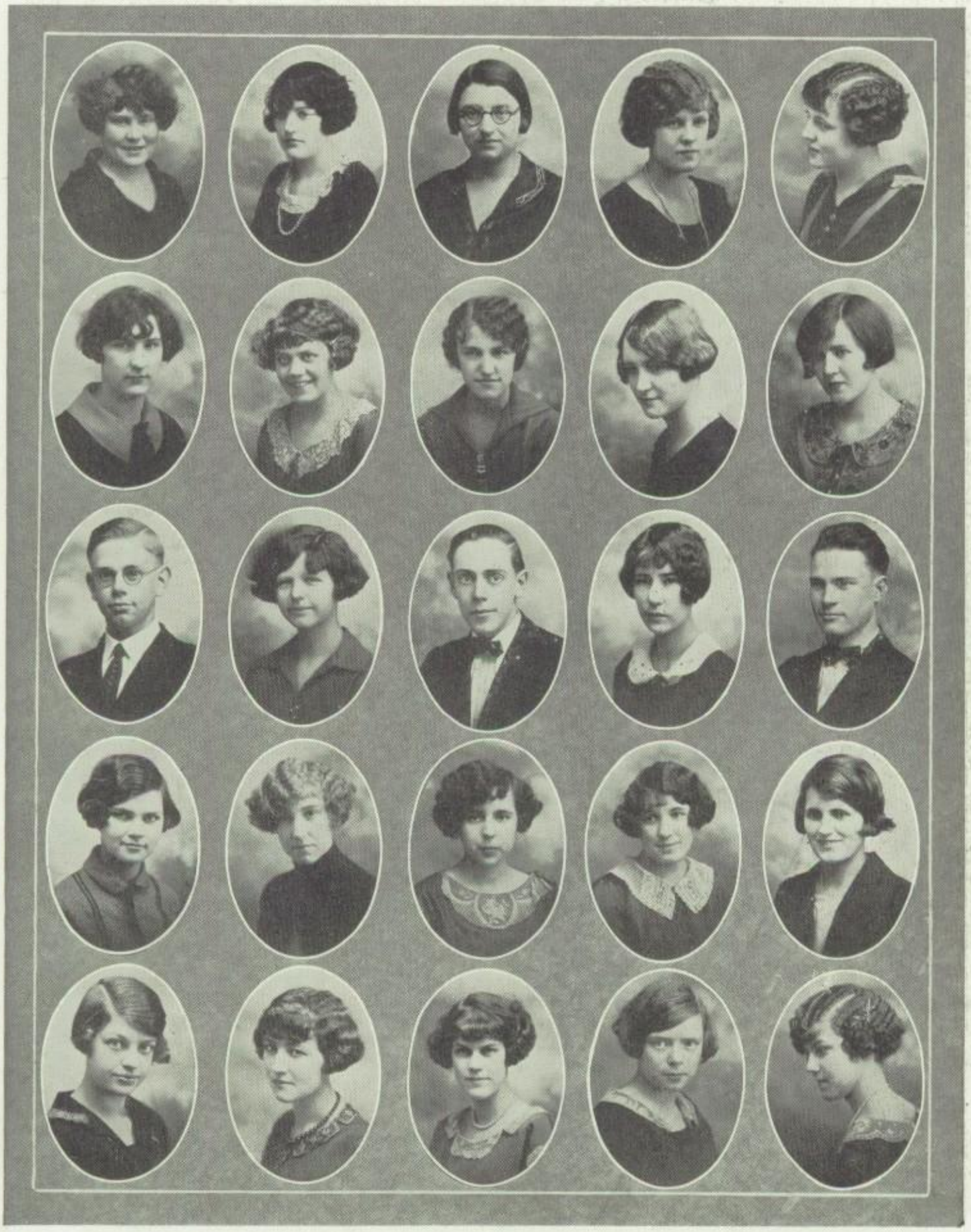
Second row—Norine Lewis, Marie Kabler, Sarah Frendenburger, Alma Wise, Ruth Wingate

Third row—Helen Dorsey, Gladys Henricks, Paul Killman, Phoebe Edwards, Marian Wheeler

Fourth row—Virgie Eirls, Mary Sargent, Minnie De Rakin, Jessie White, Virginia Longan

Fifth row—Marguerite Durham, Lois Miller, Mary Shondelman, Maurine Jones, Leta Curry



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Second row—Lydia Wagner, Pearl Hardy, Grace Thompson, Clara Fricke, Jessie Williams

Third row—Arthur Cordes, Elizabeth Williams, Franklin Harris, Toots Carson, Ralph Bearce

Fourth row—Ethel Tickameyer, Merril Michaelis, Louella Cryder, Daisy M. Nave, Helen Koeger

Fifth row—Cecil Thistlethwaite, Mary Knoop, Adelyn Holtzen, Stella Rand, Lorraine Ewers

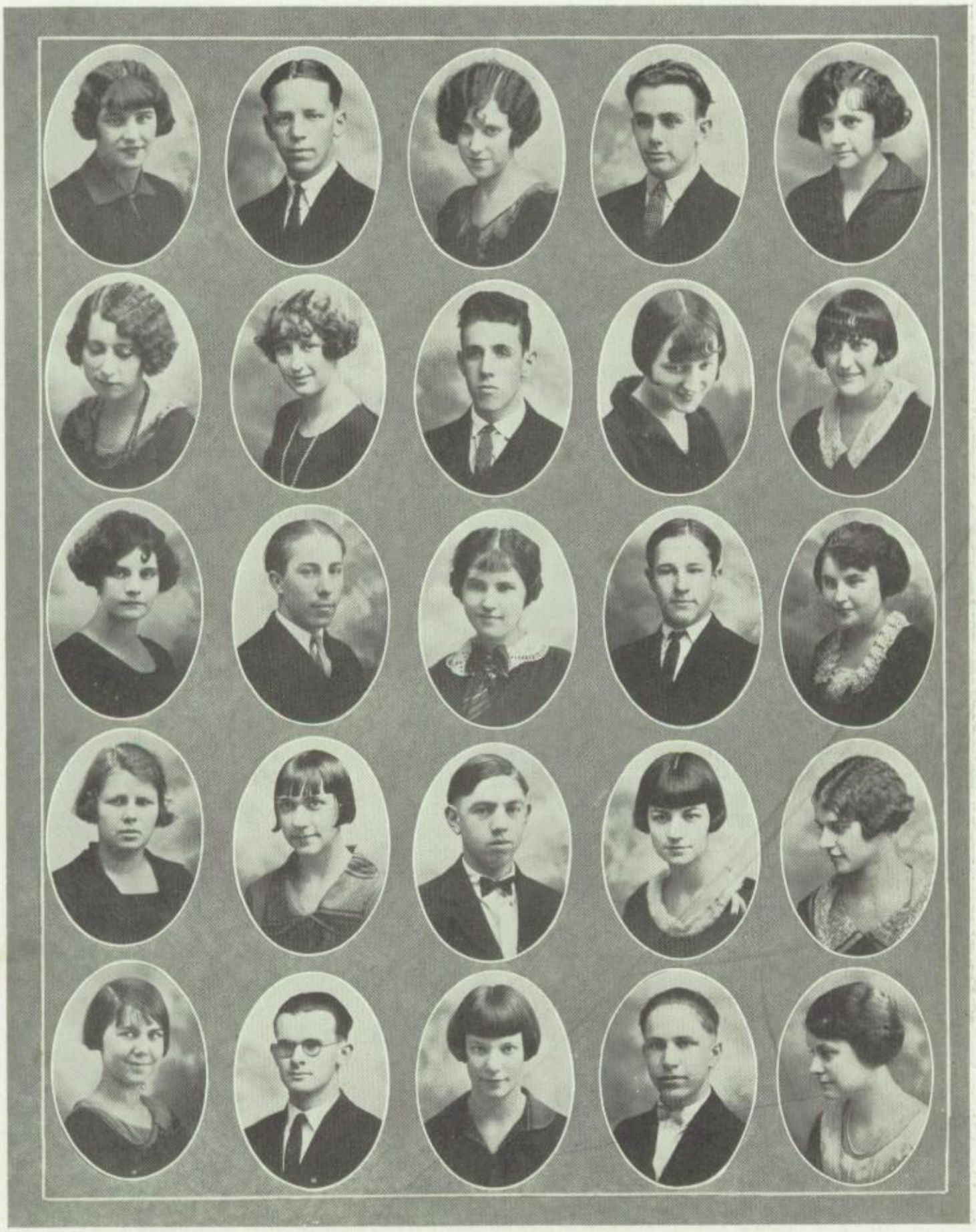
First row—Constance Keller, Mary Schlaffer, Louis Fullerton, Mildred Hunter, Bernice Campbell

Second row—Helen Hugleman, Mildred Stine, Zora Hill, Dorthy Dugan, Jewel Dillard

Third row—Carl Raiffeisen, Dorthea Swan, Victor Gill, Edith Irwin, Cecil Tickameyer

Fourth row—Verna Love, Mary Payton, Telitha Drake, Mary Bodle, Grace Enns

Fifth row—Teresa Hayes, Marie Wingate, Harold Painter, Hazel Stevens, Opal Wells



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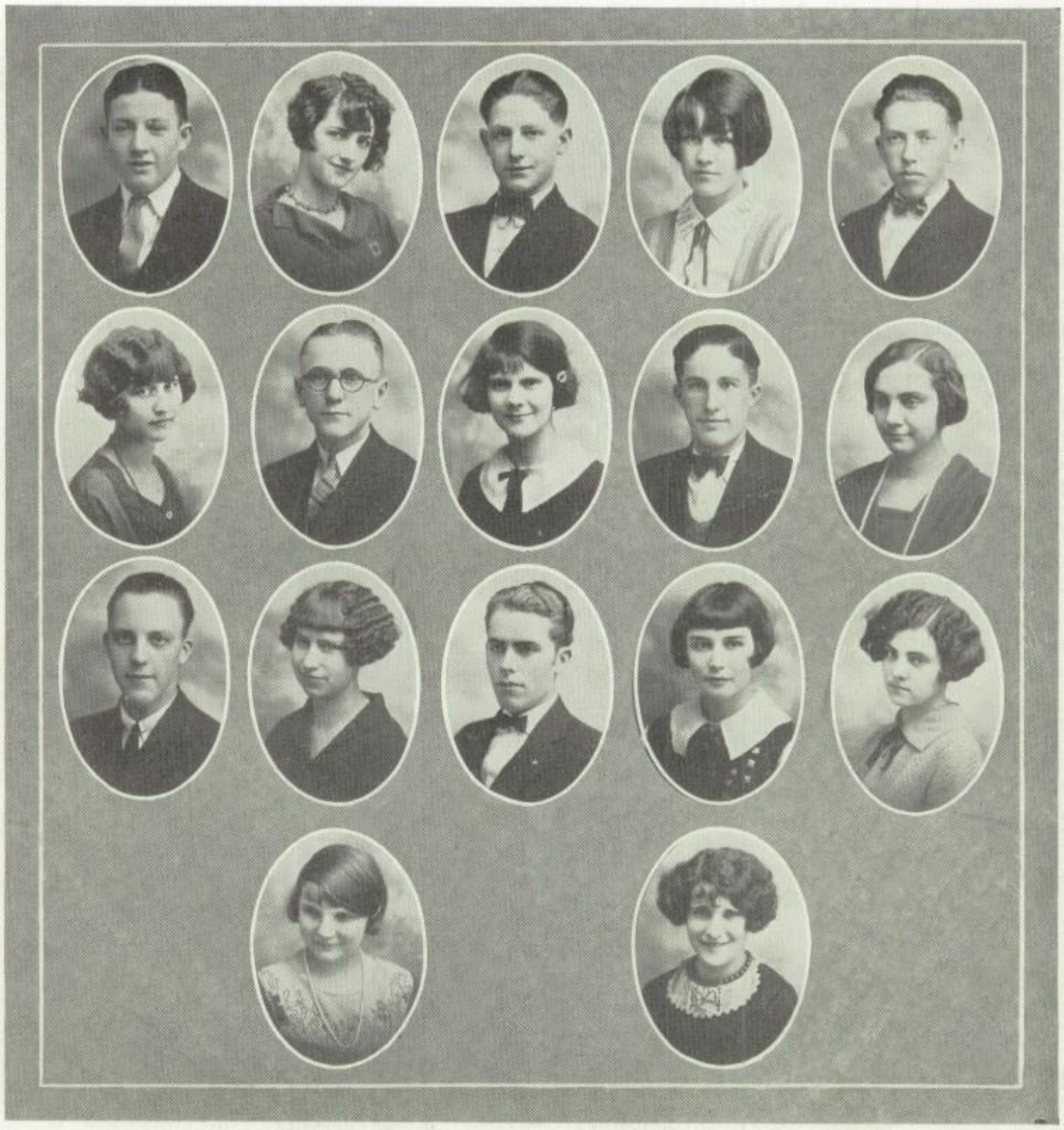
Second row—Grace Helen Rush, Iola Almquist, Norris Everett, Helen Hugleman, Nadine Pittman

Third row—Virginia Custer, Clarence Bruce, Jeanette Truitt, Ellsworth Bergfelder, Beatrice Roef

Fourth row—Julia Knight, La Rue Johnson, Herbert Hall, Stella Holly, Jeanette Heisterberg

Fifth row—Cleo Thompson, Isaac Snow, Alice James, James Hogan, Ruth Krause



First row—Kennith Peery, Regina Thompson, Howard Jackson, Johnaphine Luckett, Alfred Richey

Second row—Mae Evelyn Halley, Robert Evans, Alice Metcalf, Kennith Owens, Myrtle Oswald

Third row—William Weise, Lillie Rottler, Herbert Hall, Dorothy Mann, Edna Crawford

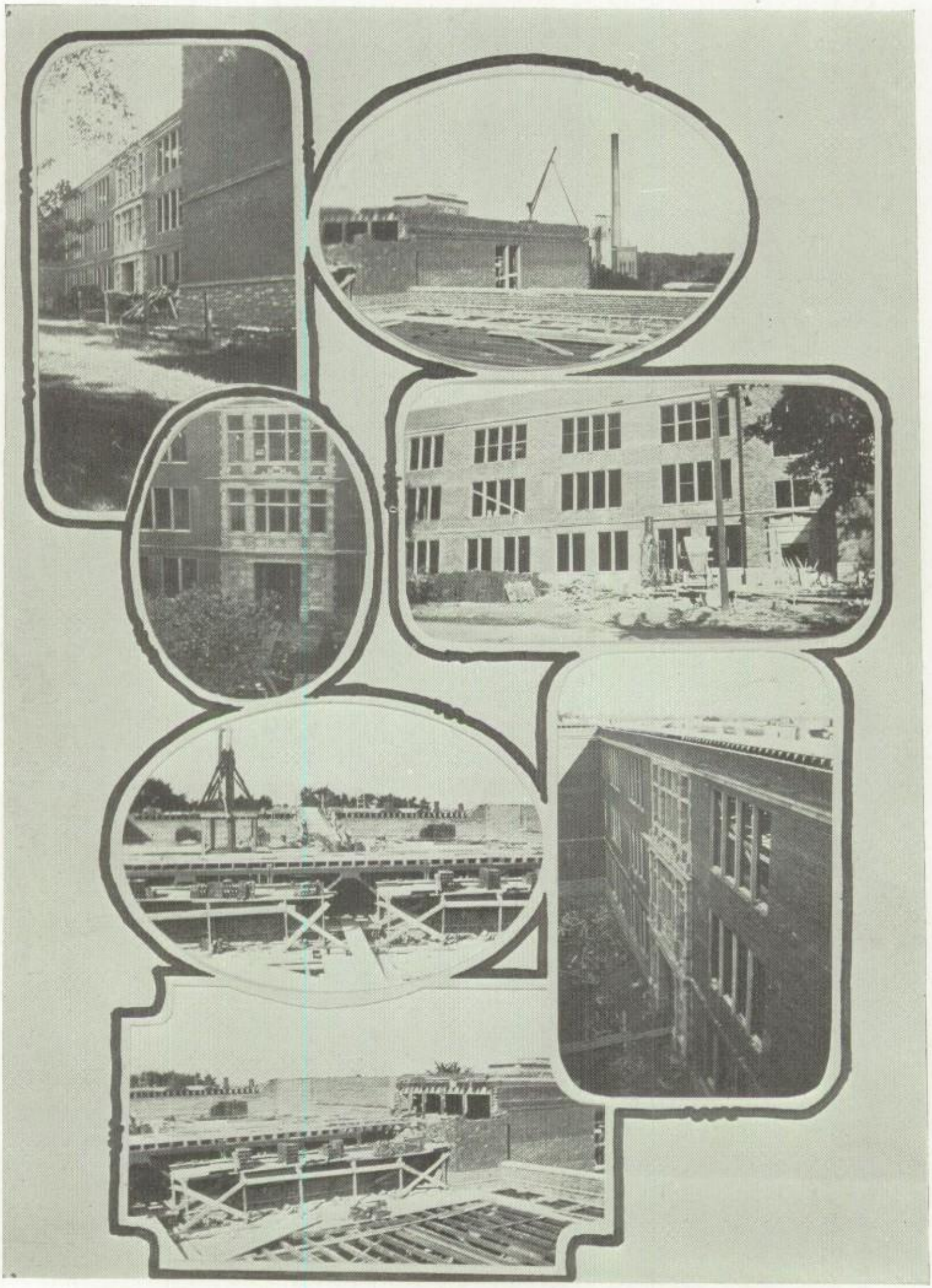
Fourth row—Gail Barbour, Mamie Hanlon

Junior Report

IN THE year 1922 we landed at the fork of Massachusetts Avenue and Sixth Street. We were later called, by historians, Freshmen, probably because the land had formerly been occupied by others but without complete success. The Freshmen, however, soon learned that the country was quite new to them, and they might not have succeeded in their new undertaking but for the help of a band of wise men and women who inhabited the country there and who claimed to have descended from a race of the Gods. They devoted their time to helping others. These persons were also versed in the magic art of how to bring success or failure to any undertaking. The next year we took possession of a new country in the name of the Soffs, so named from our easy-going manner and dislike of hard work. After many months to celebrate our success we held a high festival in our camp.

Now we are natives of a new country called Juniors. Not long after our new conquest we realized that no great success could be attained without the aid of strong leaders, so we called a meeting of the entire company. After careful consideration we decided upon Joe Sullivan as Chief, Robert Kelly as Assistant Chief, Clare Fricke as Scribe and Gail Jones as Watcher of the Camp. This accomplished, we felt that nothing could impede our future achievement. We were happy with our choice of officers, for we really believed that under their leadership nothing could prevent us from holding new possessions.

EARL MCKINNEY, '26.



The Smith-Cotton High School Building under construction.

SOPHOMORES

Sophomores

Sophomore Report

RAH! RAH! RAH! RAH! RAH! HURRAY! HURRAY! SOPHOMORES '25

WHEN the whistle blew on Sept. 3, 1924, there began one of the hardest struggles the S. H. S. Faculty has ever fought, when the Faculty, with Miss Letts as captain, began the defense against the Soph class of '25. Altho the Faculty was able to gain the ball for awhile during the game, they were not able to hold it against such opponents.

The Faculty won the toss and led during the first quarter. They had good assignment interference and with "exam center" rushes they were able to go through the Soph's defense. The Sophs called "time out" and in that way cooled the Faculty down. During the "time" worthy officers were elected as follows: Sponsor, Miss Chatham; President, Clarence Henley; Vice-President, Leonard Dowdy; Secretary and Treasurer, John Palmer; Sergeant-at-Arms, A. G. Beasmore. Time and again Faculty attempted to kick the goal, but the kick was blocked by the Sophs and as the whistle blew the "grade ball" was in the hands of the Sophs.

Second quarter started with a good comeback from the Sophs, but about the middle of the quarter we fumbled and the Faculty gained and kept the ball for a series of "mid-term exam passes." The Sophs made some touchdowns and when the whistle blew again, the Sophs were in the lead.

Third quarter sees the Faculty defense being slowly pushed back and the Soph developing a powerful tackle. Our president having left us to be married,

Sophomores

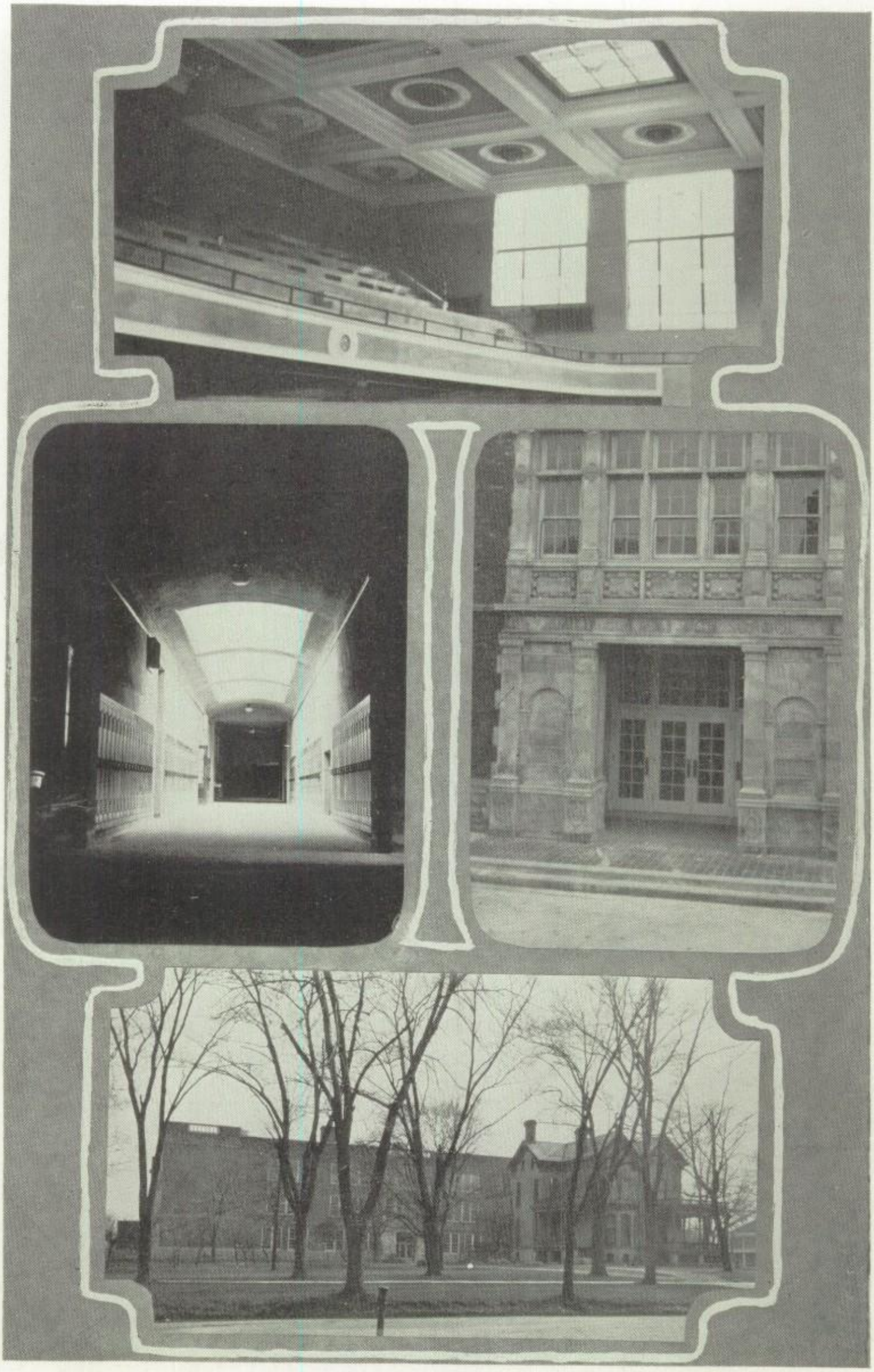
Sophomore Report---Continued

the Coach, Miss Chatham, calls time out that we might elect a new president, and also an Archives reporter and queen. We elected Paul Herman, a capable boy President, Ella Dow, Reporter, and Dorothy Claycomb, Queen. The fact of her being queen plainly shows her popularity with her classmates. We are, indeed, very proud of her. During this time-out we find that we are being represented in basketball by Floyd Eck on the boys' team, and Vera James, Florence Nofstker, Gertrude Melton, Martha Inge and Carrington Shields on the girls' team. Time in! Just five minutes before whistle time and we fumble and find that "exam-center" gains ball and runs for a touchdown, but he loses it and Sophs are still ahead when the whistle blows ending the third quarter.

During the fourth quarter the minds of the Faculty were so taken up with other things that the Sophs are able to make a clear get-a-way and follow it up so well that the Faculty could not stage a come-back. The remainder of the game is played entirely on the Soph's end of the field and at the sound of the whistle which the time-keeper, Mr. Crocker, blows ends the game with a unanimous victory for the Sophs.

The game is won. We want to thank Miss Chatham for her thorough coaching. We are also sorry that the Faculty lost the game, but RAH, RAH, RAH RAH RAH! JUNIORS OF '26.

ELLA DOW, *Reporter*.



Smith-Cotton High School

FRESHMEN

Freshmen

Freshmen Report

THERE were two hundred and seventy-eight Freshmen enrolled at the opening of school last September—one of the largest classes to enter S. H. S.

The class was not only great in number, but as for brains, just listen to this. At the end of the first semester there were seventy-six Freshmen who had an average of 90 or above in all of their studies.

But all was not study with us. Every Friday an assembly was held. Plays, readings, community singing, "pep" meetings and our own Freshman Orchestra afforded us pleasant entertainment.

Freshmen

Freshmen Report---Continued

We elected officers the first part of the last semester. These officers were elected from the 76 students with grades above 90.

We were well represented in athletics by our own football and basketball teams. Much material for future was made evident to the Senior Coaching Staff by the developing athletes in our class.

We all hope to keep up our record throughout the coming three years, when we will have a share in upbuilding of a good sound and better reputation for the new High School Building, which we will enter next year. We hope to make the class of '28 a credit to S. H. S.

JOHN SULLIVAN, '28.

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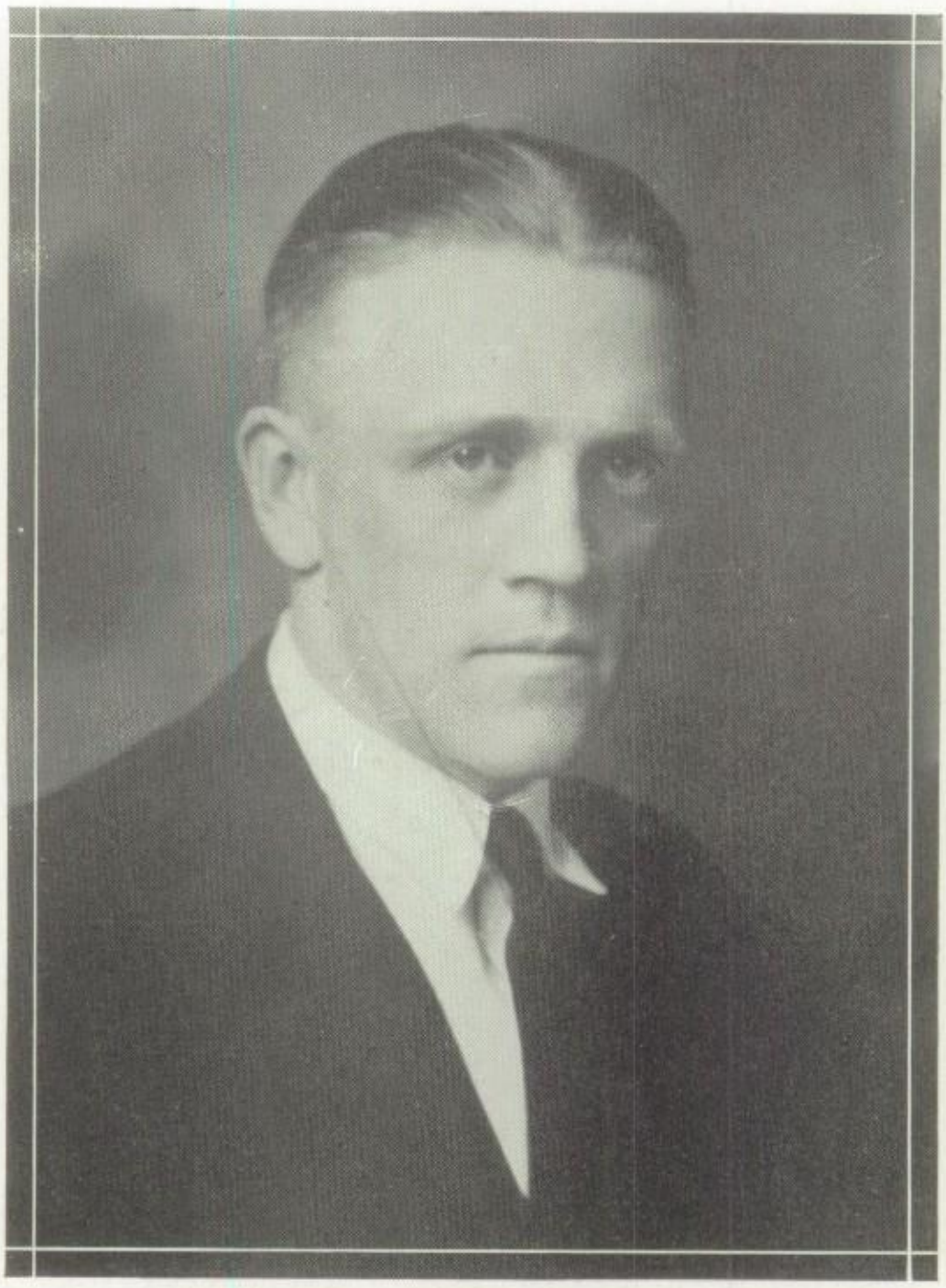


A. A. Buschman
Football, Basketball and Track

"COACH" is a graduate of Central Wesleyan College, where he received letters in football and basketball. He received special instructions on coaching at the University of Illinois. Filled with knowledge of the games, both practical and theoretical, he came to Sedalia in the year 1923. His abilities to produce winning teams has been a big factor in the maintaining and upbuilding of the school's spirit. Athletics will occupy a large portion of the establishing of the proper school spirit into Smith-Cotton High School. With Coach Buschman back as mentor of the "Tiger" Teams, Sedalia may look forward to honor and glory and being the center of state-wide athletic circles.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION REPORT

No debt is left to carry into Smith-Cotton High School. The past year was a financial success. It is a due credit to the classes of years 1924 and 1925.

Joe Preistly, *Treasurer.*

FOOTBALL

Record of the Season

Games and Scores of 1924

			Opponents	S. H. S.
Manual High, K. C.	(Here)	Sept. 27	3	0
Slater H. S	(There)	Oct. 3	0	0
Columbia H. S	(There)	Oct. 20	20	7
Sweet Springs H. S.	(There)	Oct. 24	13	38
Marshall H. S.	(Here)	Nov. 1	0	0
Higginsville H. S.	(Here)	Nov. 7	0	26
Harrisonville H. S.	(Here)	Nov. 11	0	47
Lexington H. S.	(Here)	Nov. 15	15	20
Jefferson City H. S.	(There)	Nov. 21	0	52
Joplin H. S.	(There)	Nov. 27	16	12
Total			32	200

The 1924 Football Squad

Top row—Egdorf, Cunningham, Walker, Eck, Salman, Busch, Coach Buschman, Waddell, Brill, Weise, Keens, Wescott, Smith

Bottom row—Tisen, Dowdy, M. Sims, Ruble, Jones, Starky, Dow, Capt., Kane, Emery, Overmier, Brummet, B. Sims, Watson, Bennett

Review of the Season

COACH BUSCHMAN'S call for practice was a week before school started this year, in order to get the new material lined up. About forty-five boys came out to the first week's practice, but by the end of the week Mr. Buschman knew his men and the squad was cut down to twenty-five men and actual practice began. By much practice and effort a team was built composed of ten new men and only one letter man back from last year. This inexperienced team went into the opening game of the season, with Manual High School's eleven, experienced and heavier in weight. This game played a great part in the season's success. The visitors were given every benefit of the doubt, not blaming the "Tigers" with a green team on the field, but the dope was upset. Sedalia played the better game of football throughout, and only lost by a mere bit of luck on the part of a Manual back.

Although we did not have a championship team this year, we hope we have made it possible for the '26 team to come within striking distance. The dope is set that way at present. For instead of Mr. Buschman having to build up a new team he will have six letter men back next year. We wish good luck to the 1926 team and hope they win the championship, as we came so close to it this year, and especially as they will be the first Tiger team in Smith-Cotton High School. More time will be given to football, a real fighting spirit is aroused in Sedalia to back them, and the new surroundings are bound to stimulate a greater interest next year than this year.

It is the support a team receives from the student body and local fans that make it possible for a team to fight in the true sense of the word. This prevailing spirit this year did the trick on many of the gridiron battles.

HAROLD KANE
(*Captain*) *Half*

"Hits like a ton of bricks," as most opponents remarked, though only weighing 160 pounds. One of the best ground-gainers and broken-field runners in Missouri. He will be back next year.

Left

CLAYTON EMERY, *captain - elect, halfback.* He kicked straight and far, and was seldom outdistanced. He only weighs 150 pounds, but a one-ton man on hitting.

Right

HERMAN OVERMIER, *end.* "Dutch" weighs 165 pounds. His playing abilities this year should make him a star of the '25 team. He passes, catches and plays a wonderful defense.

Spirit of loyal support, was given to the team in 1924. It is that kind of co-operation that makes a team fight to the finish to win and glorify its backers.

MANUAL GAME—(Non-conference)—Sept. 27, at Sedalia.

The first game of the season and the first game for many members of the team. All dope was upset by the time of the half and all went crazy for Sedalia. The field was very muddy and rained nearly the whole time of the game, but Sedalia played a wonderful game against their more heavier and more experienced opponents. Chance lost the game more than anything else when a Manual back put between the goal posts a water-soaked ball kicked from the 45-yard line by a mud-covered boot.

Score: Manual 3; S. H. S. 0.

Left

FRANK DOW, *quarterback.* His first and last year on the team. A good broken field runner and a consistent groundgainer though only weighing 150 pounds.

Right

ED. BRUMMET, *guard.* His first year out; an outstanding conference guard and relied upon to stop any play his way; weight 164 pounds; last year.

Left

HERBERT RUBLE, *center*. "Hub" made every ounce of his 177 pounds felt on the line; never failed to get through. His last year by graduation.

Right

WILLIAM SIMS, *tackle*. "Bill's" 152 pounds had a meaning in every play. His last year by graduation.

SLATER GAME (Conference), Oct. 3, at Slater.

We went to Slater determined to win, but again we were forced to play in a muddy field. It began to rain shortly after we arrived and by time for the game the field was something like a lake. A cold, slow drizzle followed through the afternoon. The band couldn't play and little was the pep, but in the fourth quarter we opened our stride. The whistle blew with the ball in our possession, a yard to go. We went across once but they called us back. Score: Slater 0, Sedalia, 0.

COLUMBIA GAME (Non-conference), Oct. 20, at Columbia.

The Kewpies were determined for revenge for last year's drubbing. But we didn't see it that way. After a scoreless first half, we received one of Coach's famous orations. That was during

Left

GAIL JONES, *fullback*. "Doc" made a good fullback though only weighing 150 pounds. He was excellent at backing up the line and finding a hole. Back next year.

Right

MORRIS SIMS, *end*. This was Sims' first year at the sport. He seldom missed a tackle and always nailed 'em hard. He was good on catching passes. Weight, 147. Last year.

Left

JOHN WADELL, *halfback*. "Marcius" played hard every chance he got. Should be a splendid regular next year. Weight, 147 pounds.

Right

LEONARD DOWDY, *tackle*. Always on his toes, usually got his man behind the line, and always opened up a hole. Back next year. Weight, 162 pounds.

the half. We re-entered the game very much inspired. We failed in the first drive for a touchdown, but succeeded in the next. This was Columbia's first defeat on their gridiron since its dedication. Touchdowns: Overmier, 1. Goals: Emery, 1. Score: Columbia, 0; S. H. S. 7.

SWEET SPRINGS GAME (Conference) Oct. 24, at Sweet Springs.

Because of the long grass and uneven field, we tied 13 to 13 at the half. But by the time the pistol popped it was evident we knew all the bad places and had learned to jump hedges, for we piled up such a score. Touchdowns: Jones 1, Kane 1, Dow 3. Goals: Emery 2. Score: Sweet Springs, 13; S. H. S. 38.

Left

CHAS. DE RAKIN, *half*. He always played his best and good for substantial gains. His last year. Weight 152 pounds.

Right

GUY STARKY, *guard*. All his opponents were made wiser by his 184 pounds; on interference he nailed his man good and hard. Back next year.

Left

CHARLES BENNETT, *tackle.* Bennet did not make his letter this year, but is a splendid prospect for next year. Weight, 168 pounds.

Right

ALLAN FERGUSON, *half.* "Fergie" was good, however, any place you put him. Graduates this year. Weight, 165 pounds.

MARSHALL GAME (Conference), Nov. 1, at Sedalia.

Marshall had a strong team that outweighed us some. We had an off day and missed quite a few passes and fumbled the ball. Score: Marshall 0; S. H. S. 0.

HIGGINSVILLE GAME (Conference) Nov. 7, at Sedalia.

This was the only team that defeated us last year, and we were after them this year. We turned the grid into a race-track for the Tiger backs and walked away with the game. Emery had an injured knee and couldn't be at the game. We missed his kicking but put it over them anyhow. Even though the score was a little lobsided, revenge was sweet; we couldn't keep still. Touchdowns: Kane 2, Dow 2. Goals: Kane 2. Score: Higginsville, 0; S. H. S. 26.

Left

KENNETH DECKER, *end.* He spent most of his time on the bench this year, but will shine in that position next year. Weight, 166 pounds.

Right

THOMAS WATSON, *center or guard.* He didn't get to make his letter this year, but will be back next year to take his share of football honors. Weight, 165 pounds.

Harrisonville Game (conference), Nov. 11, at Sedalia.

Armistice Day, we put the hooks on the Harrisonville bunch from the start. Even Brummet, our star guard, made a handsome display by recovering a fumble and making a touchdown. Touchdowns: Emery 1, Brummet 1, Kane 2, Dow 3. Goals: Emery 2, Kane 2. Score: Harrisonville 0, S. H. S. 47.

Lexington Game (conference), Nov. 15, at Sedalia.

Coach told us he wanted a touchdown on the first end run in this game. They kicked off to us. We gained several yards on line plunges. Then when the game was only a few minutes old, we pulled a right-end run. Kane, behind a perfect interference, semi-circled the end and waded through back field men on the 70-yard run for a touchdown. Our goal was never endangered throughout the game. Touchdowns: Kane 2, Dow 1, Emery 1. Goals: Emery 2, Kane 2. Score: Lexington 0, Sedalia 20.

Jefferson City Game (conference), Nov. 21, at Jefferson City.

We usually play Jeff. City on Thanksgiving Day, but this year we played a week early. The most of the Jeff. City players have the idea that if you can't beat a team, then kill 'em. Anyway that's what they tried on us but they didn't get by. Blue Jay meat was pretty good for the Tigers' feast this year and we had a lotta fun to boot. We played along during the first half, then showed our stuff during the last. Touchdowns: Jones 1, Dow 1, Emery 2, Kane 3. Safety 1. Goals: Emery 6. Score: Jeff. City 0, S. H. S. 50.

Joplin Game (non-conference), Nov. 27, Thanksgiving, at Joplin.

This was our sixth game in four weeks, a pretty hard schedule. We outplayed them during the first half but couldn't get away. The injuries of past games and the long train ride began to show upon our men. The defense was weakened, the backfield was powerless for a show. Every member of the backfield had a bad leg. Touchdowns: Dow 1, Kane 1. Goals 0. Score: Joplin 16, S. H. S. 12.

SCHOOL SPIRIT

All through the season from first sale of tickets, the students, townspeople and all backed the Tiger spirit in all that it attempted to conquer. The past season was a beginning of spirit that will never die. The Tiger spirit truly portrays the invisible and invincible spirit of the school's sons and daughters. In the winning of battles and is unvanquished in defeat.

As the tiger sits in sovereignty o'er the jungle life, so let this spirit in Smith-Cotton High reach out in their collegiate world to conquer, with the highest ideals of honor, valor and glory.

Conference Standings

SEDALIA High is a member of two conferences. The Big Seven and the Central Missouri Conference. The Big Seven is composed of the seven largest schools in the Central Missouri Conference and the Central Missouri Conference includes all schools and is maintained under state supervision, the State Teachers College at Warrensburg.

In the meeting of the Big Seven at Higginsville, two weeks after Thanksgiving, it was ruled that Sedalia and Independence should be excluded from the ranking, because of an obscure law of the constitution which states that in order to rank a team must play at least five of the other teams. It was impossible for Sedalia to schedule games with two of the other members this past season. We played four of the other teams. The awards were:

First—Lexington . . . . . lost 2½ games.
Second—Marshall . . . . . lost 3½ games.
Third—Slater . . . . . Won only one game.

A tie game counts one-half game won and a half lost.

We were ruled out with only two ties against us.

Some of the members wanted the All-Star team of the conference to be a representative team of players from each school. But it was decided to give the best players the positions. The superiority of our team is shown by the placing of the most men on the two picked teams, four on the first and one on the second.

OVERMIER, left end	First All-Star team
BRUMMET, right guard	First All-Star team
KANE, left half	First All-Star team
DOW, quarterback	First All-Star team
M. SIMS, right end	Second All-Star team

In the Central Missouri Conference, Independence was awarded first place and Sedalia second. This award was made on a number of games played and a percentage basis. Independence having a slight percentage over Sedalia. We were also well represented on the first and second teams of the best players for the positions in the conference.

Everything is set for the 1925 football season. At the meeting in Higginsville, Coach Buschman made the schedule out then and so did the other representatives of the conference. Too, I might add, that the obscure ruling of the Big Seven conference was thrown out following the closing of the business session of the 1924 representatives. A larger and better schedule is made for the 1925 team and we wish them success and their coach good luck in winning the championship.

The Cheer Leader

LAWRENCE BRILL
In charge of school yells, four years

S – E – D – A – L – I – A ! '

S – E – D – A – L – I – A ! !

S-S-S-E-D !! D-D D-A-L !!

L-L L-I-A !!

S E D A L I A ! ! !

"Now, I want all you fellows to get together here and show a little fire! And I don't want to hear any booing either. That's not the spirit. First we'll lead off with a jazz-boom---ah! for Emery--Ready?---alright let's go!!"

"Emmmm! Emmmm! Ryyy! Ryyy! Who-- Em-em-em! (skyrocket men) r-r-r-R Ah! EMERY!!!"

"There, that was pretty good. You there, big boy, let's hear you open your face a little more. Ah, Good boy! Now we'll try one for Kain---spell it out--ready now--

K – A – I – N !!! K – A – I – N !!!

"Fair, fair, didn't hear some of you on that—little more pep! Fullerton here is going fine—. If some of you guys would follow him, that team out there would fight. What's that! A Boom-Ah for Jones? Not sure we know that well enough—might as well try. All together gang, One, Two, Three!!"

Hokum! Pokum! Watch 'em! Soakum!——Croakum! Croakum! Let 'em Joakum! Why!?! Because it's—Jones! Jones! Jones!!!

Say you there, Collins and Redman, and you too Connors—you're always yelling at the wrong time. All together now, we'll end up with a skyrocket for DOW! Say Kendis, make Laupheimer stop throwing peanuts! This is serious.

"Socki! Fizzle, Fizzle, Boom-ah, Boom-ah! DOW!

Good yelling, fellows."
—S. P.

BASKETBALL

Schedule of 1925 Basketball Season

GAMES AND THE SCORES			*Opponents*	*S. H. S.*
Tyros Club	(Here)	January 10	12	15
Independence High	(There)	January 16	29	26
Manual High, Kansas City	(There)	January 17	32	17
Higginsville High	(Here)	January 24	11	68
Boonville High	(Here)	January 30	19	26
California High	(Here)	January 31	10	34
Marshall High	(There)	February 5	6	48
Slater High	(There)	February 6	21	49
Odessa High	(There)	February 7	21	29
Slater High	(Here)	February 13	12	47
Marshall High	(Here)	February 14	23	56
Independence High	(Here)	February 20	28	21
Warrensburg High	(Here)	February 25	28	23
MISSOURI VALLEY TOURNAMENT				
Sweet Springs High	Marshall	February 27	6	19
Independence High	Marshall	February 27	19	14
Marshall High	Marshall	February 28	15	35
WARRENSBURG TEACHERS' COLLEGE TOURNAMENT				
Greenridge	Warrensburg	March 6	13	32
Warrensburg T. S.	Warrensburg	March 6	39	20
Total games, 19			344	579

The 1925 Basketball Squad

Review of the Season

THE basketball team this year made a very creditable showing, with two new men on the team. Out of the 18 games played 12 games were won and only six were lost.

The season started with a bang, when the Tigers defeated Tyros Club in the opening game of the season by a score of 15 to 12. It has always been the ambition of the Tyros Club of Sedalia to defeat the High School, as a majority of their basketeers are alumni of the school and past basketball stars while in the High School. But we again frustrated them this year. The school has a jinx on them.

The next week we went to Independence and Manual High Schools and were defeated on both occasions. The Tigers were just off, couldn't find the basket, and when they did the balls wouldn't go in.

On January 30 the Vineclad team from Boonville High invaded the camp of the Tigers. This was a fast game. The visitors caught the Tigers napping during the first three-quarters of the game and held the high points when the fourth quarter started. The score was Boonville 17, Sedalia 12. But when the pistol popped for the finish the score was 26 to 19 under the Tiger's claw.

We made a three-day journey to Marshall, Slater and Odessa. The first night we played Marshall to a standstill score of 48 to 6. The next night we played Slater and proudly howled a victory of 49 to 21. All we had to do was stand in the corners and toss the balls in, the court was so small. Then we went into a doubtful fray in the Bulldog's Kennel at Odessa. They boasted of never being beaten on their own court, the size of a penny match box. But a cramped Tiger came out the victor, 29 to 21.

HERBERT RUBLE "HUB"
(*Captain*) *Center*

Although Hub went up against many taller opponents, he always got his share of the tip-offs. He was a fine shot and one of the outstanding centers in the conference. His last year by graduation. Weight, 177 pounds.

FRANK DOW, *forward*. He was a running mate of the captain-elect, Overmier. He was an excellent floor man and a good passer, also a good shot. He graduates this year.

At the Missouri Valley Basketball Tournament, held in Marshall under the auspices of the Missouri Valley College, we placed third. Our first game was with Sweet Springs. Lucky they were easy opponents, for we were way off. The score was 19 to 6. Independence High beat us in the semi-finals, so we played Marshall High for third place and brought up the rear of the winners of the tourney. Warrensburg High defeated Independence High in the finals by a score of 35 to 15. The winners were Warrensburg High, first; Independence High, second, and Sedalia, third.

For some unknown reason this marked a turning point in Sedalia's playing. Lady Luck seemed to desert the Tigers. The efforts of the men to score never lacked the fight and vim of veterans at the game, but she received the breaks time after time. At the basketball tournament

Left

HERMAN OVERMIER, "Dutch," *forward —sometimes center.* He was a good defense man and accurate at passing. As captain next year he should lead the Tigers to a championship. Weight, 165 pounds.

Right

CLAYTON EMERY, *guard*. Clayton was an outstanding guard in the conference and in all of the games he played in. None get by this man. Dependable to drop in a few when necessary.

WILLIAM SIMS, "BILL," *guard*. Bill always played his best, which is saying much. His opponents had always to take him into consideration. His last year by graduation. Weight, 142 pounds.

held in Warrensburg, under the auspices of the State Teachers' College on March 6 and 7, Sedalia failed to make her customary showing. After winning an easy fray with Green Ridge High School we lost out in the second game to the sweetest team present, and the winners of the tourney, Warrensburg Training High School.

Although we lost six of our eighteen games played we made a good showing in points. Our total of points give a better showing than the 1924 basketball team of the High School, which was considered to be one of the best in Central Missouri. Their total was: Opponents 292, S. H. S. 491, while our total for this season was: Opponents 344, S. H. S. 579. The same number of games were played by this year's team and last year's team.

Left

FLOYD ECK, *guard*. He played his first year at guard like a veteran. He should be a big asset to the '26 team. Weight, 142 pounds.

Right

JOHN WADELL, "Marcius," was the versatile man; he subbed at forward, center and guard. He gained much experience this year that will more than likely be to his advantage next year. Weight, 147 pounds.

SURE ! GEO. ADE IS A DRINK
COME ON NICE LITTLE DOGGIE
LET IT BE RESOLVED
THE PRINCE OF CUMBERLAND, THAT IS A STEP !
E. McKINNEY '25

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

Schedule of the Girls' 1925 Basketball Season

GAMES AND SCORES

			Opponents	*S. H. S.*
Knobnoster	(Here)	January 10	7	30
Lamonte	(There)	January 16	24	44
California	(Here)	January 17	10	26
California	(There)	January 24	23	32
Tipton	(Here)	January 30	14	45
Bellflower	(Fulton)	February 6	35	19
Lamonte	(Here)	February 13	21	29
Warrensburg T. S.	(Here)	February 27	5	21

STATE TEACHERS' COLLEGE TOURNAMENT AT WARRENSBURG

Green Ridge	March 5	2	36
Lamonte	March 5	11	33
Belton	March 6	19	25
Total games, 11		174	334

THE 1925 GIRLS' BASKETBALL SQUAD

Top row—Mrs. J. H. Lehr, Shields, Noftsker, Melton, V. James, Keifer, Inge *and* Coach J. H. Lehr

Bottom row—Wagner, Large, E. Urban, Captain Kabler, Bohling, A. Urban, A. James

Review of the Season

GIRLS' basketball this year in Sedalia High School came nearer reaching the point of its being as popular a sport for fans and spectators as the boys' athletics. Heretofore, girls' basketball has been the feminine sort of a game and lacked the pep and fight that one expects in athletics. A reverse of those conditions was displayed this year. Coach Lehr, one of the best girls' basketball coaches in the middle west, whipped, from green material, a team this year that is bound for the championship. This is true, for the majority of the members of the squad this year were lower-class men and will be back next year. The season started off with a bang! More interest on the part of the players was displayed. The new material picked up the game amazingly quick and soon played better than the regulars back from last year. In fact, the letter girls back from last year found it not so easy to maintain their positions on the team.

It seemed as if every day Mr. Lehr had a new piece of floor work to hammer into our heads. He was always business and determined in his work. If a regular failed to deliver the goods, a place on the bench was left vacant.

Our first game wasn't a very bad game but could have been better. But our second game at Lamonte was a card. They had us beat, 24 to 12, at the end of the first half, and the way La Montians whooped and yelled you'd have thought the game won in their favor. We picked up our stride in the last half and played them to a standstill, the game ending 44 to 24 in our favor.

We got the breaks at the Fulton Tourney. Bellflower a larger, but no better team than ours, defeated us in a fast game. We were forced to play an hour after arriving in Fulton, after plowing the mud all the way from Sedalia for four or five hours.

We lost out in the Warrensburg Tournament because of lack of consistent practice. The first day of the meet we played two hard games and won. But the next morning we were stiff and played the worst game of basketball we had played throughout the season. Belton beat us in the semi-finals by a score of 25 to 19. We managed to hold them to a tie score until the third quarter, but lacked the strength to toss the winning shots that they managed to do.

1926 BASKETBALL PROSPECTS

Next year the Smith-Cotton girls' basketball team should win the 1926 championship. Coach Lehr will be back and nearly the same squad as this year. The dope is all set now.

Left

MARIE KABLER, *captain of the team*. Very seldom was she outjumped in her center position. Back again next year.

Right

HENRIETTA BOHLING, *running center*. Fast and accurate in handling the ball. Back next year.

Practice began this year a little earlier than usual. We held practice in the Convention Hall at Liberty Park, late in the afternoons. It was a little inconvenient to go so far to practice away from the school and the city, but we had fun. Mr. Melton, father of a member of the squad, as a rule, came after us in his big car and delivered us all home. Then, on evenings when the boys were to have a game, we brought our lunches along with us, had a picnic for dinner and stayed on through to see the game that night. Several times we had practice at the Y. M. C. A. Court, on account of some social or civic affair being held at Convention Hall. It seemed as though every afternoon, until late in the season, Coach Lehr always had a new and different piece of floor-work.

Left

VERA JAMES, *left guard*. First year, but played like a regular. Back next year.

Right

LYDIA WAGNER, *left forward*. "Lide" was a running mate to Elizabeth. The one who always saw to it, when a few baskets were needed.

Left

ELIZABETH URBAN, *right forward*. High-point baskeeteer; able, capable, always doing her best, and a big asset for the '26 team.

Right

ALICE URBAN, *right guard*. She goes by this title, but she's really an all-around girl. Her eye for the basket is a dead shot. Graduates this year.

This made things constantly interesting and gave advantage for those on the bench. If a regular couldn't get the idea, a bench man got the place. Mr. Lehr was always business in his coaching, which made us respect and like him all the better. There was never any personal partiality shown by him among his players. It was the best girl for the position. In many of the real games the first team showed appreciation for the assistance of the seconds by making a score too large for the opponents to overcome and this would let the second team in to have a taste of the real fruits of the game. We are glad that the citizens of Sedalia and the students are taking a better view of Girls' Basket Ball, for it is a real game, the kind that will develop and produce better women in the world.

Left

NOMAH LARGE, *running center*. "Tiny" has a terrible temper and besides playing them off their feet, scares 'em to death. Graduates this year.

Right

ALICE JAMES, *left guard*. "Jessie" always found a way to get around her opponent. She, too, will be back next year.

Track

REVIEW OF THE SEASON.

THE 1925 Track Team of the High School was late in getting started this season due to the length of the basketball season, and early spring rains that made practice impossible. But late as they were, with Coach Buschman behind the gun, with his ability to thoroughly teach running and field events properly, a team, a credit to the school, was made.

Track season has never been a paying sport in school and has always been the cause of an overhanging debt for the next year. This year's basketball and last year's football season made it possible that the track team enter four track meets, purchase equipment and pay for other necessities and still leave the slate clean for 1926.

The first meet of the season was with Marshall High School, who arranged for a dual met on their own track and field. We were defeated in this meet by only a few points.

The next meet was at California, Missouri, where an invitation meet was held at the Moniteau County Fair Grounds. Sedalia placed second behind Jefferson City, out of the sixteen teams entered.

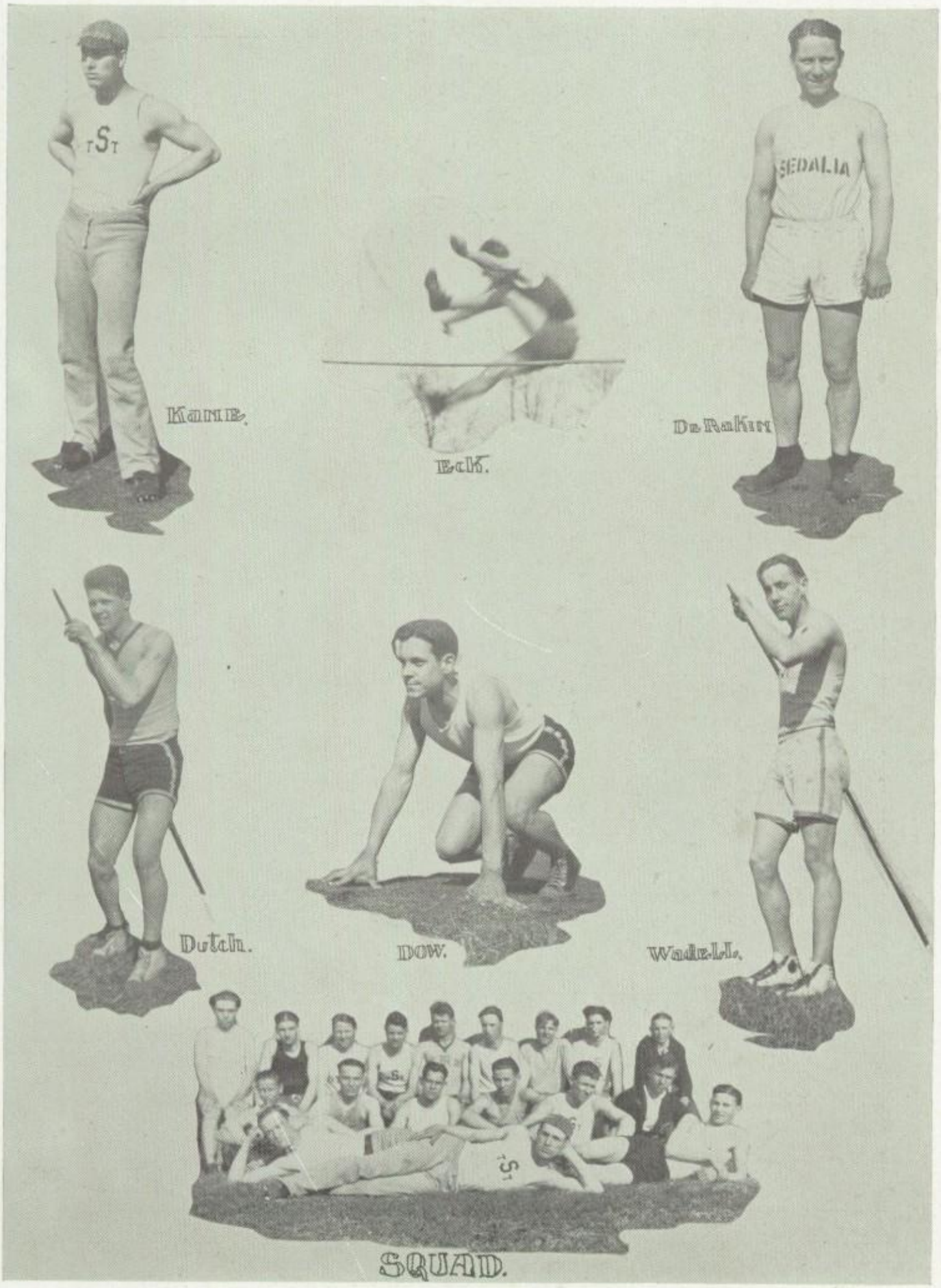
The Tigers have two other meets they will participate in before the year is over. The next will be with Higginsville as host to the teams to enter in their meet at Higginsville. Then on the 5th of May the team will journey to Warrensburg, where they will enter the Central Missouri Conference meet. No doubt Sedalia will carry S. H. S. colors in the lead at both of these meets.

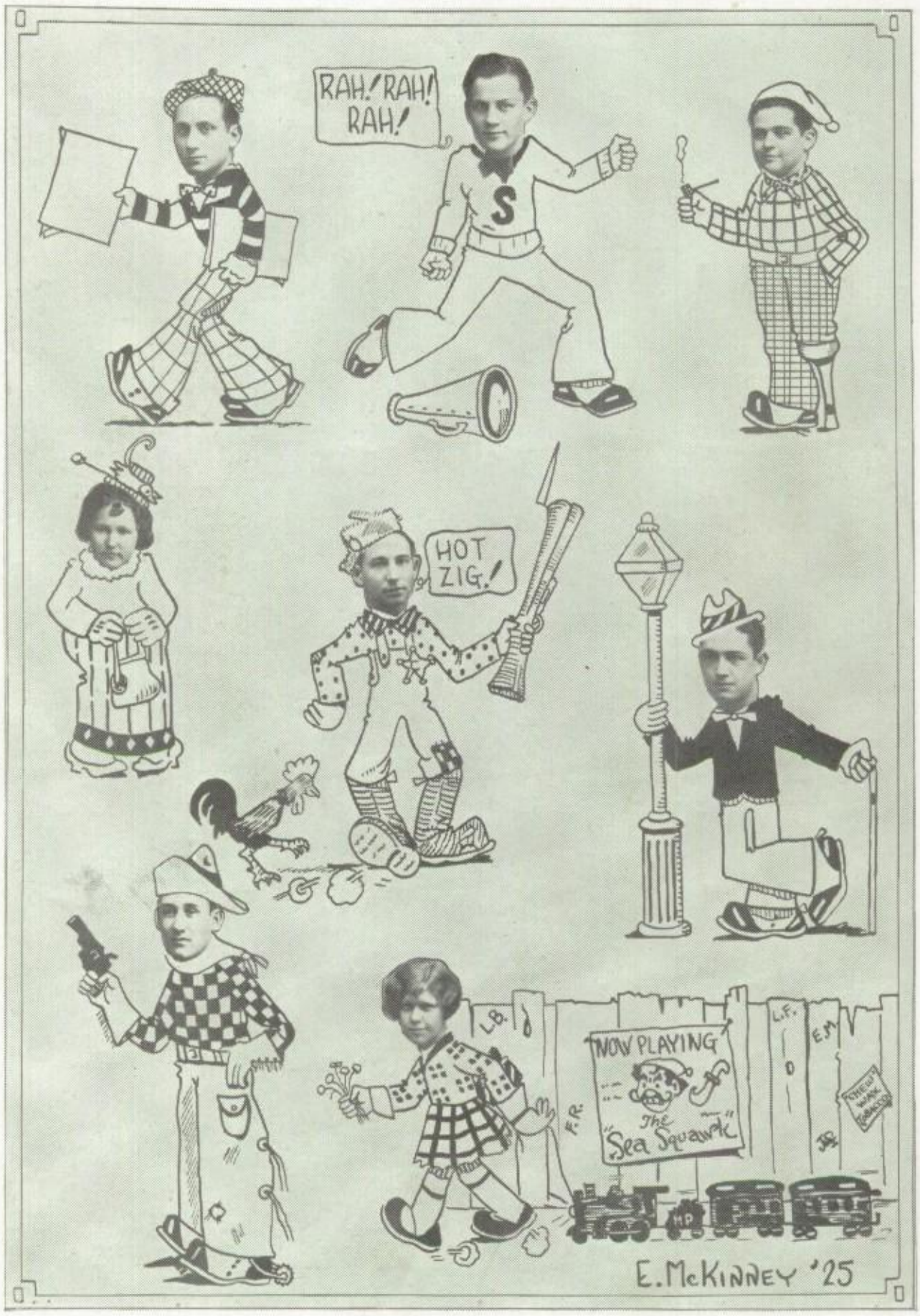
1926 TRACK PROSPECTS.

Next year, with only two men from the '25 squad gone, through graduation this year, Sedalia should again carry state honors, as it has in many years past, in track. This team was composed mostly this year of Juniors, Sophomores and Freshmen. Practice will be made much better next year by the using of the new track at Smith-Cotton High School. It will be possible to begin practice at an earlier date and give Sedalia a much better team in training to open the season.

This review of the 1925 Track Season is indeed short and lacking in facts, but as this book must be printed before the season falls into full sway, much datum of real interest must be omitted. However, more of the track season of the High School is among the contents of this book than any book previous.

Track

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HOT ZIG!
NOW PLAYING
"Sea Squawk"
L.B.
L.F.
E.M.
F.R.
E. McKINNEY '25

Book IV

Queens

Miss Nola Witte

Queen of the 1925 Archives
Queen of the Senior Class

MISS CONSTANCE KELLER

All-Class Queen
Queen of the Junior Class

Miss Dorthy Claycomb

Queen of the Sophomore Class

Miss Mabel Brooks

Queen of the Freshman Class

SPANISH MANE
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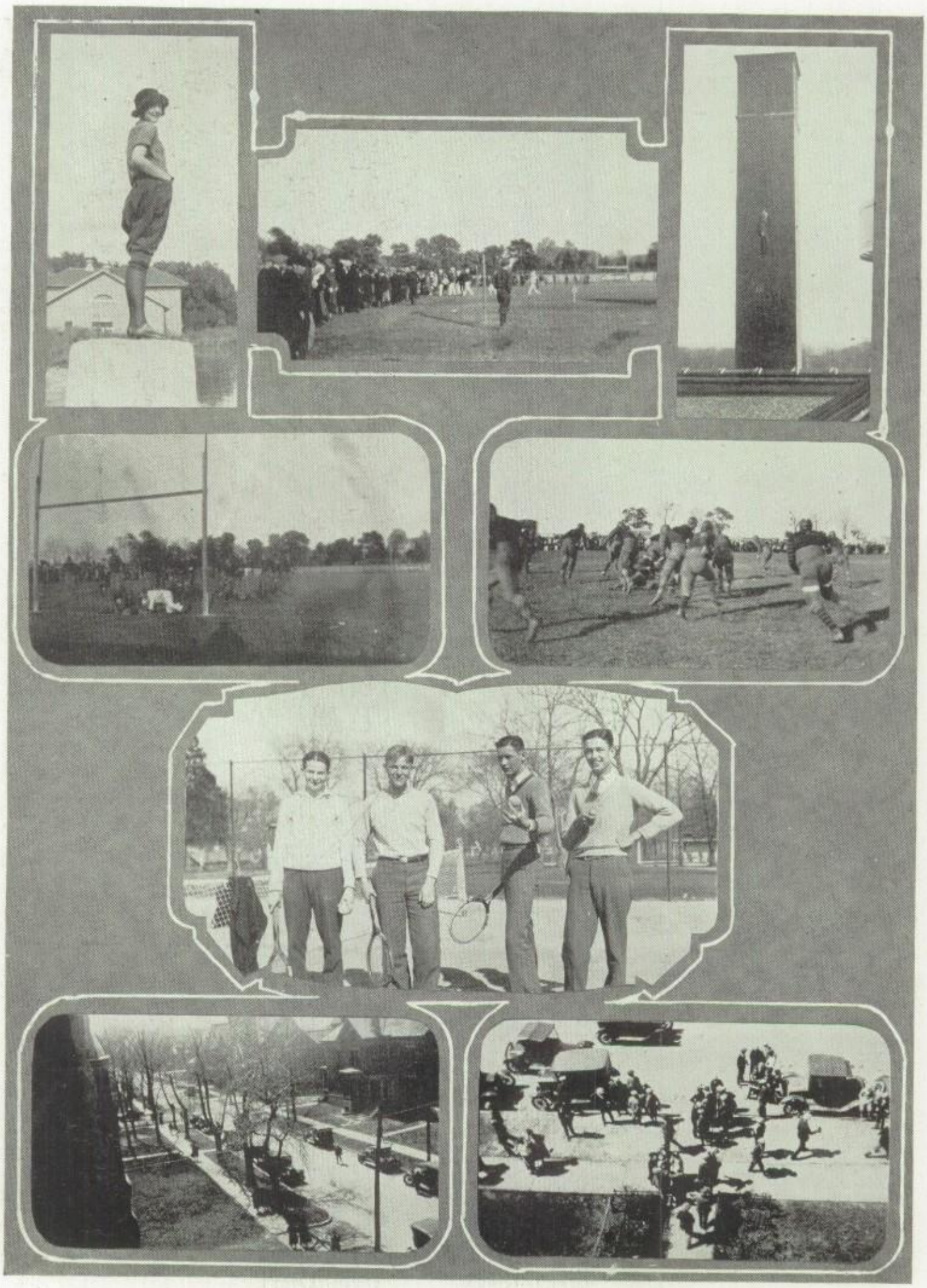
Book V

Activities



CLUBS

Dramatic Club

Dramatic Club Report

SINCE the various clubs of the school have been organized as activities the Dramatic Club has been one of the largest and most popular. We have this year a membership of one hundred and seven, which is the largest in the history of the club. This club has by far the largest membership of any in the school.

The work of the club, as suggested by its name, is the study and presentation of plays of both literary and dramatic value. The club is divided into ten groups and this work is done through them. One play is presented each week at the regular activity hour. It is the purpose of the club to have each member on the stage at least once a year. The fact that the club is unusually large this year has made this difficult of management.

At Thanksgiving the play, "The Rest Cure," was presented before both the morning and afternoon schools and the proceeds given to charity, following the custom of the club since it has been organized. One other public play, "Come Out of the Kitchen," was given February 6 and 7. The proceeds, $100, were added to the Grand piano fund.

Under the guidance of our officers, Lewis Walch, Lawrence Brill, Ethel Jenkins, Harold Collins and Walter Hand, and our Sponsors, Miss Cousley, Miss Combs and Miss Frick, we have been able to do unusual work. We feel greatly indebted to our sponsors, who have given so freely of their time and effort for our pleasure and profit.

Dramatic Club

Dramatic Club Report---Continued

The past year's work in the club has been pleasure for all the members. Plays that are really worth-while have been given, and our experience on the stage with so large a club for an audience has given us poise and self-control that would not have been gained otherwise. This really is the aim of the club. Not to develop actors and actresses, but to give each member of the club practical experience before an audience; to develop a certain degree of self-confidence and to gain poise. We feel that in this the work of this year's club has been highly successful. While of necessity there are only a few members of the club on the public stage, each one has been before a not small audience in the activity hour. We hope that the members of the future Dramatic Club will derive as much pleasure from their membership as we have.

President	Lewis Walsh
Vice-President	Lawrence Brill
Secretary	Ethel Jenkins
Treasurer	Harold Collins
Sergeant-at-Arms	Walter Hand
Reporter	Frances Stanley

Frances Stanley, '25, *Reporter.*

Parent Teachers Association

THE Parent Teachers Association for the year 1924-25 has been one of marked success, from the very first Executive Board Meetings to the last one when all the officers were re-elected as follows:

Mr. Ernest Melton	*President*
Mrs. E. H. Williamson . . .	*First Vice-President*
Mrs. Hugh Courtney	*Second Vice-President*
Miss Mary Lura McCluney	*Secretary*
Mrs. J. C. Connor	*Treasurer*

These officers, together with the members of various committees: program, membership, publicity, social, advisory, form the Executive Board.

The President, Mr. Melton, has spared neither time nor money in working out the various problems of the Association, and he has awakened in those about him, an enthusiasm which has been evidenced in all the workings of the Association, but especially marked in an increase of five hundred fifty-two members.

The present membership is eight hundred fifteen.

The programs have been varied, interesting and instructive. "The Going to School," in which the parents followed the daily programs of their children on a ten-minute schedule, was worthy of annual repetition. Both parents and teacher thereby learn much which may prove of great help to the children. The music, the plays, the addresses have all helped to bring the school and the home into closer relation. Fortify the home and the school with high moral standards and world peace is in sight.

Make our Smith-Cotton P. T. A. fifteen hundred strong for 1925-26.

Mary L. McCluney, *Secretary.*

Hi-Y Club

FOR a large number of boys of the High School, the year would not be complete without Hi-Y. For those who are ready to absorb spiritual knowledge from one who is exceedingly well versed on the Bible can always find plenty to learn by attending Hi-Y. At the same time you mix with your classmates and have an evening of each week to look forward to.

Starting in with school last fall, the following officers were elected: Lawrence A. Brill, President; Robert Evans, Vice-President, and Robert Inlow, Secretary and Treasurer. Mr. W. T. Lawhead, Secretary of the Sedalia Y. M. C. A., instructed the lessons, always having an interesting section of the Bible to speak on each meeting night. This year's course was a series of lectures on the World, past, present and future. In addresses and discussions we traced the world from the beginning to the happenings in the world in future years.

We were quite lucky this year, that is the number of delegates that attended the Older Boys' Conference at Jefferson City. Our little Hi-Y Club of Sedalia was recognized and honored very unexpectedly. Mr. Lawhead and three other delegates, Evans, Inlow and Connor, were the house guests of Governor Arthur M. Hyde and Mrs. Hyde while in Jefferson City. Our president was on the speaking program for the Conference, but was unable to attend on account of sickness. The meetings were held in legislative halls of the State Capitol.

Much could be said of our instructor for without his knowledge and inspirational talks our Hi-Y Club of Sedalia would not have attained its success, but space will not permit.

There were thirty-five members in our club this year.

—L. A. B.

Sophomore Etiquette Club

Miss Chatham	*Sponsor*
Dorthy Claycomb	*President*
Ruth Goodknight	*Vice-President*
Jane Farrell	*Secretary*
Mildred Sutherlin	*Treasurer*
Minnie Aleskin	*Reporter*

THIS Etiquette Club of the S. H. S. has most delightfully and successfully passed its second milestone.

Thirty-two girls met with our sponsor in room 7 every Friday at Activity Time and scored victories the basketball boys never dreamed of. Each weekly meeting a most interesting and profitable talk was given by a member of the Club.

Our first social event was a wiener roast at the Tourist Camp, from which the boys were excluded. Our crowning event was a Formal Valentine Dinner at Hildebrandt's with Miss Letts as guest of honor. Another pleasant event was a Valentine Party given us by the Ice Breakers.

We made money for our Club to finance our activities by means of fudge and sandwich sales.

Every girl of the Club will always remember the enjoyable sixty minutes spent together each week, and I am sure that more of our girls in later life will not think when she sees a finger bowl that it is a darling little cup with the handle off.

Minnie Aleskin.

Du-Rite Club

How sweet and gracious, even in common words,
Is that fine term which we call etiquette;
Welcome in every clime as the breath of flowers,
Giving its owner passports round the world.

THIS year the Club was composed of 30 Du-Riters, and Oh My! what we didn't learn wasn't worth learning. Under the supervision of Miss Dalton we couldn't help but achieve success.

At the first of the year officers were elected as follows:

Stella Holley	*President*
Helen Anderson	*Vice-President*
Ardella Warren	*Secretary and Treasurer*
Opal Smith	*Reporter*

During the year we have given a "Kid" party, theatre party and luncheons, the purpose of which being to practice the correct forms of etiquette.

We looked forward to each Friday morning to be spent in room 12, for it was there we spent our social as well as profitable hours.

Opal Smith.

The Girl Scouts, Troop No. 7

TROOP No. 7 of the Girl Scouts entered the list of Sedalia High School's activities as a new organization in the fall of 1924. All of the seventeen members are registered Girl Scouts and the work of the troop has been of varied interest throughout the year. The weekly programs have been instructive in matters of scouting. Social affairs have included hikes, picnics and parties. Expenditures have amounted to nearly two hundred dollars. Most of the money was earned by the troop. A ten-dollar "brick" was given toward the national building fund. An Easter party was given for the Melita Day Nursery. At the girl scout rally in April, Troop 7 presented "Etiquette a la Mode," an act exemplifying part of girl scout training. The camp fund was started early and many girls are planning to attend summer camp.

The Officers of Wild Rose Troop are: Gladys Henderson, President; Virginia Custer, Secretary; Teresa Hays, Treasurer; Mrs. Robert Clough, Leader; Miss Crissman, First Lieutenant.

MISS HELEN CRISSMAN.

Poster Club

HOWDY, Folks! If you'll lisen fer a coupl'a minutes i'll try & tell yer about th' Poster Club. As yer all no, th' Poster Club had a mitey fine reputashun to liv up to. But as yer all no, we shur did it. In fakt, we akshully broke all rekords of past years.

Well, startin at th' beginning, as the feller sez, we all got tergether an eelected Louis Fullerton fer President. Next we eelected Earl McKinney fer Vice-President. He had ter do th' President's wurk wen th' President wuzent hear. He didn't have much t' do, kause Louie was hear most of th' time. Miss Nola Witte was made Secretary and Treasurer. I wanted ter be Treasurer, but somehow, they wanted there money ter be safe, they sed. I gess they didn't trust me.

Well t'make a short story shorter, so ter speek, I gess i'll tell yer of some of th' work of the Club. We had ter do all th' advertizin for th' hole school. As usual we told th' world about the Football and Basketball games, about th' Dramatic Club Plaze, Eskimo Pi sales, et cetera, etc., and so forth.

Well i reckon i'll sine off, as they over th' radio.

Illiterately yours,

STRELOW.

P. S. I want ter say that Miss Weatherman, our sponser, sed that i awt ter learn to spell befor i rote any thing fer th' Archives. i shure fuled her. She don't no that i am a perfek speller.

Arts and Crafts

"DID you see all those baskets of pretty roses some of the girls were carrying about today?" Why, of course, the Arts and Crafts Club made them. And that isn't all they have made. They have made several kinds of flowers, including sweet-peas, carnations and geraniums and some of the smartest little men to be used as party favors. For the Pie Supper last October they made some pretty boxes for the pies and now they are going to make some tied and dyed scarfs. A try at book binding is going to come next.

We tell of these things to show that our club is a good one and well worth the time we give to it every week. Miss Stephens is our sponsor and she surely is skilled in this sort of work.

At out first meeting we elected the following officers:

EDNA CRAWFORD . . . . . *President*
LORENA JERRIELL . . . . . *Vice-President*
ALMA WISE . . . . . *Secretary and Treasurer*

I am sure each member of this club will agree with me when I say that we have spent an enjoyable hour each Friday in room 11 throughout the year.

MARY SCHLAFFER.

Classical Club

OFTEN the pupil, scanning the list of extra circular activities, passes heedlessly by the name "Classical Club," with the comment, "Oh, that's Latin; that'll be dry." But what a happy surprise is in store for those who do join. We who enrolled under its banner at the beginning of school, now, when vacation days have come, look back on the hours spent in the classical club as among the happiest hours of the entire school year. Miss Shriver is a past in intrigue, for she always contrived to arrange games and programs so that we enjoyed ourselves to the fullest, and yet almost unconsciously we absorbed knowledge of Latin words and forms which made our daily lessons much easier.

Officers elected at the first of the year were:

ROSE ANN DUGAN . . . . . *President*
CARRINGTON SHIELDS . . . . . *Vice-President*
BERDIE MAY KREISEL . . . *Secretary and Treasurer*

They, with the co-operation of the other members of the Club and under the supervision of Miss Shriver, gave several plays and interesting programs during the year. Their activities were not confined to the schoolroom. They had hikes in the country and campfire breakfasts that will always bring treasured memories.

We hope this little band will not drift apart, so in later years look out for the Club's own pin, a burning torch, bearing the inscription "C. C. '25." Long live the Classical Club!

MARY VESTA RICKS, '25.

First Aid

FIRST AID REPORT.

THIS club for boys met every week during the regular activity period, directed by Dr. Bradford, Pettis County Health Officer, and Mr. E. C. Schlickting. We have had very successful meetings.

Instructions were given in the club dealing directly with First Aid treatment. Also lectures were given dealing with different diseases.

The latter part of the year we were given an examination over the First Aid work we had covered and those that passed were given First Aid Certificates.

We feel that we owe much to Dr. Bradford and Mr. Schlickting in making this a very successful year for the class.

We elected the following officers:

President . . . . . PETER WILSON
Secretary . . . . . JACK WILHITE

EDGAR MCQUIDDY, *Reporter*.

Physical Training Club

HELLO, everybody. This little report is going to tell you about our activity—the Physical Training Club, and to start it right I must inform you as to what the club is. Well, it is composed of a group of girls that are full of pep, and we meet at the Y. M. C. A. every Friday for gymnastics and games. The Club is exactly what its name implies—a real Club for Physical Training.

We are instructed by Mr. Sansam, Physical Director of the Y. M. C. A., who is kind enough to give much of his valuable time in our behalf. Our sponsors are Miss Rayburn and Miss Sanders.

We elected Marie Kabler for President, and Alice Urban for Secretary and Treasurer. We had a rather hard time selecting whom we wanted for these positions, but we decided that these two girls were the best.

Here's to the long life and the success of the Physical Training Club in the New High School.

HENRIETTA BOHLING, '26.

The Ice Breakers Club

THE Ice Breakers Club of 1924-1925 was composed of twenty-eight members. This activity is formed for the purpose of teaching leadership in recreation and the art of entertaining.

Our Club was divided into two groups, as follows:

The Hustlers: Mildred Vestal, leader; Helen Beard, assistant leader; Lulu Smith, Lucille Hodges, Lucille Gottschalk, Virginia Stewart, J. C. Longan, Hugh Hogan, Malone Laughlin, Thomas Foster, Martin Murphy, Vivian Burkholder and Byron Chryst.

The Go-Getters: Miller Stroup, leader; Kenneth Botts, assistant leader; Jessie White, Blanche Klein, Ruth Krause, Jewell Dillard, Majorie Yeager, Mae Evelyn Halley, Harvey Whitmire, Matthew Holtzen, Franklin Harris, Clyde Farris, Charles Morgan and Hubert Hull.

The officers for the club were:

J. C. Longan	*President*
Miller Stroup	*Vice-President*
Lucille Hodges	*Secretary*
Majorie Yeager	*Treasurer*
Mae Evelyn Halley	*Reporter*

Our work has been most interesting and our entertainments proved very successfully. While we had the co-operation of all the members, the greatest credit is given to our sponsor, Miss McCluney, who made our work so intensely interesting.

Mae Evelyn Halley.

Science Club

Science Club Report

THE Science Club, organized in September, 1923, to stimulate a more general interest in science and scientific work, has grown during its two years of activity to a club with a membership of twenty-five students who are interested in science and scientific research. The club is the successor of the Radio Club which was organized a year earlier and provides for a more general study of science than its predecessor.

During the past year the club has visited many places in Sedalia where work is carried on scientifically and the members have derived a great deal of pleasure as well as knowledge from their trips. In addition to our visits to other places, many interesting and instructive demonstrations have been given in our club rooms by the sponsor, Miss Anderson, with the help of several members of the club.

The officers of the club for the past semester are:

REX WAKEFIELD . . . . . *President*
PAUL GOIN . . . . . *Vice-President*
CECIL TICKAMYER . . . . . *Assistant*
CLARENCE BRUCE . . . . *Secretary-Treasurer*
RAYMOND STANLEY . . . . . *Assistant*

Manual Arts

President . . . . . EVA MAE MCBRIDE
Vice-President . . . . . GAIL BARBOUR
Secretary and Treasurer . . . . BLANCHE SMITH
Sponsor . . . . . MISS ALICE FALLER

More efficient teachers is the plea—
And that's just what we're trying to be.
Now in our club we learn to
Use devices attractive and new.
As we work in our club, we
Learn what good teachers ought to be.
Although as yet we are not teachers
Really, we're gaining in the features.
Teaching certainly does require art—
Surely, our club has given us a fair start.

LYNNE HANKS, '25.

Needlecraft

ONE of the best and most useful activities of the school is Needlecraft. Girls learn here the art of making things worth while, things made by the swift and skillful fingers of willing hands.

The Club met early in the year and elected the following officers:

Marie Simpson	*President*
Anna Ruth Weise	*Vice-President*
Mary Griffith	*Secretary and Treasurer*

The enthusiastic sponsor, Mrs. Sellers, with whom the girls met every Friday for suggestions and advice, made the club a "busy bee" club and just before Christmas an exhibition of Christmas presents that had been made by each girl was displayed where both teachers and students might realize that the girls of the Needlecraft Club had not been idle.

The new things we learned are many, but if you are really interested in making something really worth while, enroll next year and keep this club up to the standard made for it this year.

Mary Griffith, '25.

Glee Club

OFFICERS

Dorthy Duffield	*President*
Naomi Tanksley	*Vice-President*
Mrs. Eva G. Walker	*Secretary-Treasurer*
Mary Lloyd Freund Anna Wherley	*Librarians*
Ida Sisson	*Accompanist*

REPORT

THE GLEE CLUB assembles in the Study Hall for fifty minutes every Friday morning. The time was spent in singing songs, solos and other ballads, directed by Mrs. Eva Graves Walker, our able director and sponsor.

A cantata, "The Swallow," was given by the Glee Club the twenty-fourth of February. A good crowd attended, making it possible that the Glee Club contribute freely towards needed money in the Athletic Association.

The Club aided the Sedalia Musical Club on their annual tour of the city, singing Christmas carols the day before Christmas. By means of large cars, every train was met and every section of the city covered by the carolers.

The first week in May being Musical Week over the entire United States, the Glee Club gave an excellent musical program for the student body and the public. The program was made more entertaining by the Musical Club, who aided in the program.

All of our members have Glee Club pins, a small black enameled eighth note bearing the school year upon them. We hope that these pins will always be treasured and will bring back memories of the many pleasant times the Glee Club has had during the school year of 1924-1925.

Marjorie Werner, '25.

Boxing Club

SMACK! went the gloves every Friday morning when the Boxing Club met in the Manual Training rooms of the High School. There we had plenty of space to practice the pugilistic art of the no-fingered gloves. Coach Lehr and Mr. Zoelman taught us much that may come in handy—one never can tell. During the first of the year we elected officers, who were Don Kemp, President, and Raymond Slaton, Secretary and Treasurer. We decided we needed no Sergeant-at-Arms, for if a member became too cute we gave him the gloves and he fought with the Honorable President, who was always there, so we needed no Vice-President.

Sparring and boxing among ourselves wasn't the only fun we had during the year. Boy! The gang from the Theory Games camp visited with us several times during the year. A few fights were put on that would show Jack Dempsey a thing or two.

We had an unwritten law among our members that under no conditions would anybody kick anybody. That was fine, until the last time our Theory friends visited us and Buddie Keens received a wop in the jaw that wasn't to have been. The story is ended at that point. Ask Buddie the rest. He's still looking for the mule that kicked him.

L. A. B.

Camp Cooking Club

Bring on the bread, boys,
Bring on the meat;
Let's get together, boys,
And eat! eat! eat!

YES, we're camp cooks and proud of it. Man, but those good eats did help a lot! Hot biscuits and butter, bacon and potatoes, fried brown and crisp. Who wouldn't like to be on hand when that was going on? Even Superintendent Crocker was attracted by the delicious odors drifting from our kitchen and we noticed that he always came back again.

The Camp Cooking Club was newly organized this year for the benefit of the boys who—well, they might *have* to cook *some* time. The Club was composed of 29 boys who, at the end of the year, had by the dauntless ingenuity of the Misses Snell, greatly increased their knowledge of "Cooks" and "Cookery."

At the first of the year the following officers were elected:

ALLAN FERGUSON	*President*
ROY BROWN	*Vice-President*
ERNEST HOLTZEN	*Secretary*
HAROLD MCMILLIN	*Treasurer*

In the course of the year many helpful points were learned and many gloomy Fridays were passed away with joy.

We all looked forward to Friday as the one day when we could roll up our sleeves, put our dignity in our pockets and have a really profitable good time.

CLARENCE COLEMAN.

Commercial Department

THIS year the Commercial Department under the supervision of Miss Winifred Weather gave out twice as many pins and certificates for speed records as last. Forty-four certificates, five silver pins, three gold and fourteen bronze pins were issued during seven months' work of this school year. The speed tests to try for these rewards are sent to the school by various typewriting firms. Speed and accuracy are the factors you must have to win a certificate or medal. Space will not permit the printing of names of the students who have so earnestly worked for a reward, but tribute will be made to them in the actual years of life when the harvest of their school training under Miss Weatherman's efficiency will be reaped by many folks.

FRANCES STANLEY.

Debate

THIS year debating was not a regular school activity; as the only one capable Professor Earl Yates Poore, was in charge of the Band, we had no instructor. But he gave us much time during the afternoons, and we found debating most profitable.

Our first debate was with Warrensburg High School. We lost by a small margin. Our team was Lynne Hanks and William Arnold, who held the negative side of the question, "Resolved, that the Philippines should be granted immediate independence." We lost our next debate to Holden High School. Alice Laudenberger and Robert Stover had the affirmative side of the question. We lost both debates and so were eliminated from the State League. We feel that the time spent in these studies was very valuable. Mr. Poore was sincere in the work and made the hours delightfully instructive.

ALICE LAUDENBERGER.

Spiz Club

WHO could make more pep and make more noise at a football game than a gang of girls? That's what the Spiz Club is. We kept up the pep at all of the games and helped in affairs about the school. When the band needed money we put on sales. When the teams needed support we were there to support. We put on window sales and polished the school's many trophies of years gone by, that were sorely in need of a cleaning or two.

The officers of the Club were Jean Shain, President; Sarah Kaiser, Vice-President; and Mamie Hanlon, Secretary and Treasurer.

We hope that the Spiz Club will live on and on, and put the real pep in Smith-Cotton High School.

JEAN SHAIN, '25.

The Archives Staff

(*Continued*)

Because of a lack of space in the preceding pages, we have not had room to give due credit to the ex-officio members of our staff, who have been an integral part in making this book what it is:

EX-OFFICIO STAFF MEMBERS.

The birds who force the staff into a long subscription campaign in order to sell enough books to publish on.

The fizz who comes around two months after the Junior and Senior panels have been closed and wants to get his picture in.

The boobs who think that when we ask for copy at a certain date that it means some time in 1968.

The girl who holds up her class panel, and says that she didn't know she had to return the photographer's proofs.

The guy who crabs because the stuff in the Mud Section is not red-hot and gets sore if he happens to get it in the neck.

The gink who comes in after the reports are all made up and says he forgot to put half of it in.

The gang that would raise the deuce if their picture were not in the book and who set up an awful howl when the staff comes around to take pictures.

The fellow who won't buy a book, refuses to co-operate to make the book the kind that he wants and starts knocking as soon as it comes out.

The bunch who turn in copy with the assumption that the staff is composed of mind-readers and hand-writing experts.

The students who come around after it is too late for their money to do any constructive good on the book, and want to buy one.

The irresponsibles whose promises to buy books isn't worth the time it took to write it.

The guy who thinks the Archives is a good graft and the staff a bunch of thugs trying to fleece the student-body.

With such an able lot of assistants, editing the Archives is truly a pleasure.

WHO SAID THAT ? ?

"Some people think I'm the most handsome man in school, and others don't."

"We'll write aphorisms—tomorrow."

"You gotta put tail lights on all cows, etc."

"All good times must come to an end. Pass to your next hour class."

"I just wanted to see if you were paying attention."

"Gimmie a cigarette."

"Out in Montana."

"Go back to your seat immediately."

"Mary Mitchell is talkative."

"Putty Rompers."

"So much for that."

"Sarah Kaiser could spit and actually be serious a minute."

STAGE

"Come Out of the Kitchen"

A Farce in Three Acts—Before, During and After

Act One (*Behind the Scenes*)

"OH, GOODNESS, I'm scared to death!" "Please hear my lines once more, if I should forget them! Horrors!" "Has anybody seen the lipstick? I have hunted everywhere for it. I don't believe anyone brought one." "No, they didn't." "Oh, I say, the boys have some. I saw Nookie putting it on. He'd better apply for lady's maid!" "Is my hat on straight? I know it will be cocked over one ear when I get on the stage, if I ever do." "Say, look out there, Mandy. That shirt won't be improved by your complexion."

"What! Is it time to go on? Goodness, where's my bag? I've lost all of the sense I ever had. For goodness sakes, Crane, do get off this stage, and Charley behave yourself. I'm tickled enough without that. Oh! good gracious, they're pulling the curtain."

Act Two (*On the Stage*)

(This act is while the play is going on. In all justice to the actors we'll omit it.)

Act Three, Scene One (*One Night Later*)

"Well, it's all over with. Of course, I forgot; but thank goodness nobody knew it but me." "Yes, I think quite a few knew it. You killed one of my best speeches." "Oh, well, what's the difference."

"Oh, are we going to get our picture taken? I'm scared to death of a flash-light picture! Oh, really not the picture, just the light." "Where in the world is Jack?" "He's taking his girl home." "We'll just have to wait." (Half an hour later) "By the way, Jack, does that GIRL live anyways near Dresden?" "Sure, she's a 'Dresden China Shepherdess,' Crane."

F-L-A-S-H—Oh!—Oh!

"Thank goodness that's over." (Huck speaking): "Nomah, for Pete's sake, come back down to earth. The play's over."

Scene Two (*Miss Cousley's Home*)

Dining Room

"Please give me another roll." "And I'll have some more olives." Isn't this ham the best!" "Say, Miss Cousley is an angel." Musical entertainment was made by Tucker's constant sipping of the soup and occasional laughs and guffaws with his mouth full.

"Did you say 'track meet?' " "Boy, didn't we have fun."

"Goodnight, everybody. We've had a wonderful time while we were together, and it'll probably be till the crack o' doom before it is forgot."

Francis Stanley, '25.

Come Out of the Kitchen

Presented by The Dramatic Club

A COMEDY IN THREE ACTS

by A. E. THOMAS

(Based on the story of the same name by ALICE DUER MILLER)

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Olivia Dangerfield, *alias Jane Ellen*	HELEN RILEY
Elizabeth Dangerfield, *alias Araminta*	FRANCES STANLEY
Mrs. Falkner, *Tucker's Sister*	NOMAH LARGE
Cora Falkner, *her Daughter*	LENA HUNTER
Amanda, *Olivia's Black Mammy*	DORTHY SUTER
Burton Crane, *from the North*	LAWRENCE BRILL
Thomas Lefferts, *Statistical Poet*	LEO MYNETT
Solon Tucker, *Crane's Attorney and Guest*	LEWIS WALCH
Paul Dangerfield, *alias Smithfield*	HAROLD COLLINS
Charles Dangerfield, *alias Brindlebury*	WALTER HAND
Randolph Weeks, *Agent of the Dangerfields*	JACK MULALEY

TIME—Present. PLACE—The Dangerfield Mansion in Virginia

ACT I. DRAWING ROOM
ACT II. THE KITCHEN
ACT III. THE DINING ROOM

The play was quite a success. Presented two nights before the public, January 23, 24. Raised two hundred dollars for the piano fund.

LAWRENCE BRILL, '25.

"The Swallow"

Presented by the Glee Club

Synopsis of the Cantata

THIS was a very pleasant musical program given on February 24 under the very able direction of Mrs. Eva Graves Walker. We were induced to repeat the program for the Parent Teachers' Association on March 2.

The Cantata told of the swallow coming home in the spring and later in the fall of its departure for the south. The solo parts were sung by Misses Zora Hill and Marjorie Werner.

CAST

ZORA HILL
MARJORIE WERNER
DORTHY LEE DUFFIELD
NAOMI TANKSLEY
ZELPHIA CAMPBELL
MARGUERITA DOUGHERTY
ELLA DOW
MARY LLOYD FRUEND
WINIFRED DE JARNETTE

GERTRUDE NOFTSKER
MARY SCHONDELMAIR
MARIE BRENNECKE
EMILY WOOLERY
LUCILLE STARR
ANNA WHERLEY
PEARL HARDY
MAYBELLE HARDY
MILDRED HUNTER
CORRINNE CLARK

HAZEL BROWN
MAURINE JONES
EDITH KEERAN
HELEN JAMERSON
MILDRED DIX
RUBY STEELE
MARY ENNS
GRACE TOMLINSON
VERONA CLARK
MARJORIE WERNER

"Mrs. Bumpstead Leigh"

"IS everybody here? Let's get to work. Remember we have only three weeks left. Nina, you and Anthony are on—that was fine. Justin, can't you get a little more angry? That's right. We're doing fine today. It will be the first performance in Smith-Cotton High School, you know. We must put it over big.

Yes, you have guessed it. It is a practice of the 1925 Senior Class play, "Mrs. Bumpstead Leigh." Giving the play two nights, we have two entire casts, not one member playing both nights. Because of this being the first play in the Smith-Cotton auditorium, practice has been much more in earnest.

The Senior Class play is not only a tradition among the students but with our patrons, being considered the biggest event of the Senior year with the exception of commencement.

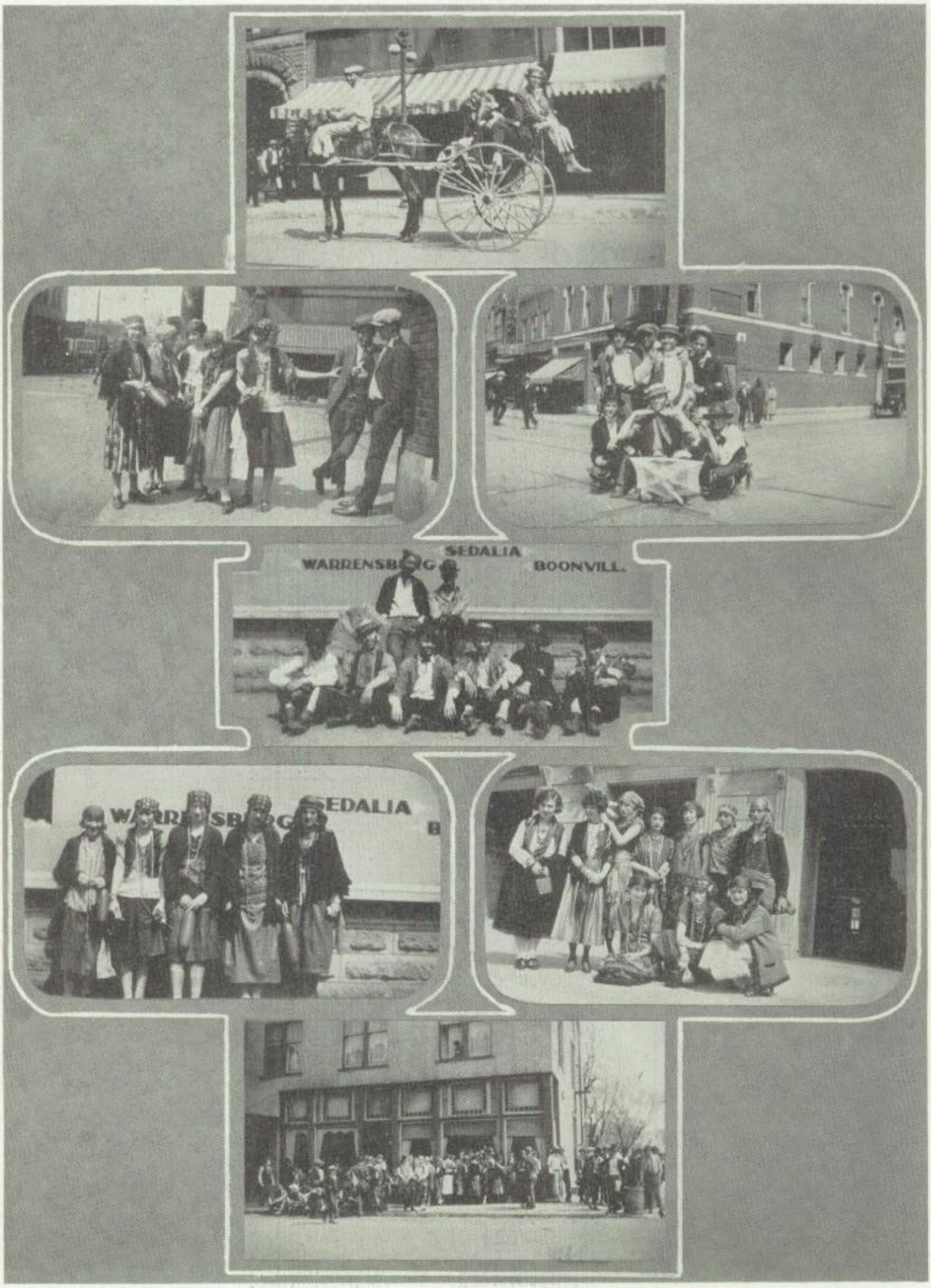
The Senior Class play of Nineteen Hundred and Twenty-Five will not fail to reach the standard set by previous plays.

CAST OF CHARACTERS

Charles Ferguson	*Anthony Rawson*	Harold Collins
Robert Stover	*Justin Rawson*	William Arnold
Lewis Walch	*Geoffrey Rawson*	Reed Steele
Nathan Jones	*Mr. Leavitt*	Robert Roberts
Lawrence Brill	*Peter Swallow*	Joe Cohn
James Mitchell	*Kitson*	Herbert Bryan
Nomah Large	*Mrs. Bumpstead Leigh*	Margaret McGaw
Roberta Swearingen	*Mrs. De Salle*	Helen Riley
Mary Mitchell	*Violet De Salle*	Lois Brown
Alice Laudenberger	*Miss Rawson*	Lena Hunter
Louella Hardy	*Mrs. Leavitt*	Frances Stanley
Jean Shain	*Nina*	Ethel Jenkins

The Senior Class is indebted to Miss Eunice Cousley's self-qualified direction of the Class play.

Frances Stanley.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Orchestra

THE Upper Class Orchestra of the Sedalia High School was organized in September, 1924, for this school year, sponsored by Miss Mattie Montgomery and led under the able direction of Professor W. B. Hert. During the first month of practice the sounds that escaped the orchestra room were quite harmonious (???), but before long we improved rapidly and soon were able to appear in public.

The Junior Orchestra was organized among the members of the Freshman Class. They met in the afternoons under the leadership of Miss Ilo Hildebran and were sponsored by Miss Florence Ludeman.

The following officers were elected to preside over both orchestras:

Robert Evans	*President*
Sue Phelan	*Vice-President*
Alice Metcalf	*Secretary*
Miss Mattie Montgomery	*Treasurer*

We played for assemblies, Dramatic Club plays, Commencement, Parent-Teachers Association and other school activities of the students and the faculty.

The success of the year we owe to Professor Hert, who was always ready to assist in the work of the Orchestra and all other musical entertainments.

Sue Phelan, '26.

Band

BAND REPORT

THE High School Band was reorganized during the first week of school with many new members and under the direction of Mr. C. H. Hartenback. The following officers were elected:

Lawrence Lauphiemer	*President*
Preble Dowding	*Vice-President*
William Ramblow . . .	*Secretary and Treasurer*
Robert Inlow	*Director*

When we had a few practices we were called upon to furnish a program for the P. T. A. From this time on we have been asked to play by many civic organizations. During the 14th District Rotary Convention we were one of the seven bands that played, and as a result the Sedalia Rotary is going to take over the band. We played for all home football and basketball games. We made trips with the football team to Slater and Jefferson City and went to the Warrensburg tournament with the basketball team. Being the only band at the tournament, we played for a number of teams other than our own.

The great success of the band is due to Mr. Hartenback, our able instructor. The Band hopes to have him with it again next year. The year as a whole has been worth while and interesting to the band members.

Arthur Kemp, Jr., '25, *Reporter.*

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Book VI

Mud

Hobo Day

HOBO day won the cake this year for being the best since this gala day was introduced in S. H. S. Three reporters took down the following notes of the day's events in shorthand:

At eight o'clock Tuesday, April 7, Sedalia was turned over to the thundering crew of Gypsies and Hoboes who gathered at the "Y" to learn to read chalk-mark signs. Old Sol shone down with an over-supply of radiant beams and disregarded the Almanac's predictions for the day. At nine o'clock a parade moved toward the High School, led by the "Famous Symphony Band" of six pieces. An interrupted school greeted the "tramping parade." The first good chalk-mark had been found. Nickels and dimes from the class-room windows filled the air. An unappreciated appreciation was shown by several sourfull selections from the band. Yells for the school and faculty again raised the windows, and all was well again. From then until noon, tramps and flashy maidens used their own methods to secure from pockets and cash-registers bits of change. Gypsies and hoboes went in all directions and mooched the village broke. At twelve o'clock the hungry army besieged the Hotel Liberty, where a dinner was dished out to the "gang" of one hundred and thirty-five. This made a big dent in community purse. After the clatter of dishes and the smacking of lips had echoed away, King Bo, Brill, orated. Digestion was aided by soothing strains from the "Blue Devils." On request of the Chief of Police the above pictures were taken for future reference at the station house.

On the arrival of the"Bunko-O"troupe, who missed connections near Dresden, the managers heartily enjoyed the competition for theatrical engagements. Jack Truitt won the toss and contracted for the show in the afternoon and

Billie Mueller contracted for the evening performance. Both conceded to admit the entire bunch free. Hedden and Kemp broke their engagement following the afternoon show on account of having to talk too loud. The Famous Mind-reading Act, by Kendis and Fredkin, filled the opening. Hard-hearted Hanna and Stanley hung the S. R. O. sign out, and the Fashion Show, accompanied by the Blue Devils, received bouquets of carrots and cauliflower. But what happened to the "Harmony Act" at the first appearance of the Troop?

After the matinee all were initiated into the benevolent order of "God's Frozen Race" by eating one of Weber's Eskimo Pies. A part of his pre-summer advertising campaign, Skipper Richardson turned over his trolley and all enjoyed the suburban air.

The second consumption of vitamines for the day was at Hildebrandt's hotel shortly after six o'clock.

A motley brawl was held at the Grotto Hall, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Grant giving to the Seniors this hall as an appreciation for the photographic work in the 1925 Archives. Miss Eunice Cousely, sponsor of the class, accompanied the hostess in chaperoning the dance.

No hobo shindig in years before compared with this one. Thirty-four bo's, with fair gypsy dates, glided over the floor as if Old Sol was yet to come up. When the day was struck closed, one foot was slowly dragged before the other, home. But many sang in a peppy hobo style the little emigration ballad, "Follow the Swallow Back Home."

The day was a success in every way. The class of '25 gave the best Hobo Day in the old school and at the same time set an excellent pace for Hobo Days in the Smith-Cotton High School.

LAWRENCE A. BRILL.

Mr. Buschman (in Biology class): "We will name the lowest types of animals, beginning with Ernest Hodges."

Miss Cousley (in English): "What is the grammatical definition of Barbarism?"

Bill Sims: "It's an uncivilized person."

Hub (after the Manual Hi game): "I felt in my bones we were going to lose that game."

Dow: "Why, what put that in your head?"

Walch: "Brill, what's a crazy bone?"

Brill: "A dollar spent on a woman."

Junior: "Why do they always have a rooster instead of a hen for a weather vane?"

Wise Senior: "Because it would be very inconvenient to go up after the eggs."

Freshman boy: "I've been trying to say something all evening."

Sophomore girl: "Wasn't it good-night?"

H. Kane: "Do you serve lobsters here?"

Waiter: "We serve anybody. Sit down."

A GREAT CATASTROPHE

John Waddell loses opinion of himself.

Senior: "Mr. Poore, which is correct: 'I am a fool; I are a fool?'"

Mr. Poore: "Ah! you can't fool me. 'I am a fool.'"

Senior: Oh!

Miss Letts: "You have no excuse for being so late."

Junior: "Oh, yes, I have; I've been standing outside fifteen minutes thinking it out."

Miss Sanders: "Students, are you learning anything in here?"

Sophomore Class (in unison): "No, mam, just listening."

McMillan: "If you don't marry me, I'll dash my brains out on yon wall."
Blanche: "Oh! Harold, how could you?"

Edith Keeran: "Is this the first time you ever kissed a girl?"
Joe Kendis: "You don't think I could do it that good the first time, do you?"

John Waddell: "I could just die dancing with you."
Constance Keller: "I am."

L. L.: "Oh! Mamie, I've a chance for the football team."
M. H.: "Oh! Lawrence, I didn't know they were raffling it off."

Hub: "I saw a girl smile at Joe Sullivan yesterday."
Pat: "That's nothing, the first time I saw him I laughed."

Miss Anderson: "Richard, what is a Thermometer?"
Dick: "Glass tube that regulates heat."

H. Riley: "I saw your brother today. He's certainly a handsome man."
L. Walch: "Yes, and some people can hardly tell us apart."

"Scottie" (the "cop"): "Here, you can't turn around on that corner."
Jean Shain (in her T. B. Ford): "Well, officer" (with much indignation), "I think, I think I can make it."

Miss Anderson: "Frank, what is density?"
Dow: "I can not define it, but I can give an illustration."
Miss Anderson: "Illustration is good, sit down."

Miss Snell: "Did you wash those fish before you baked them?"
Peggy: "What's the use, they've lived in water all their lives anyway."

Rissler: "Say, what is a bull?"
Chasnoff: "A cow with two horns."

J. S.: "What would you do if Lawrence kissed you on the forehead?"

S. K.: "I'd call him down a little."

Miss M.: "If a farmer raised 685 bus. of corn for 60c a bu. and sold it for $2,500, what did he make?"

R. Heynen—"More Corn."

Editor's Note: Ladies, skip this paragraph! It is really unfit for publication. It got into the book some way, and was overlooked by some mistake. Probably because it was set in upside down.

If there's anything worries a woman,
It's something she ought not to know,
But you'll bet she'll find it out somehow,
If she's got the least kind of a show.

Now we'll wager ten cents to a dollar,
This poem she's already read—
We knew she'd get at it somehow, if
She had to stand on her head.

Mr. Poore (before the election): "What is the Dawes plan?"

Brill: "To elect Mr. Coolidge."

Teacher: "How do you build a dog house?"

Pupil: "Are you thinking of moving?"

Ed. Connor (to barber): "I want a shave."

Barber: "You don't need a shave, just go wash your neck."

Brill (reading French): "Three times I strove to cast my arms about her neck, and—that's as far as I got."

Miss Crissman: "Well, I think that was quite far enough."

McCurdy: "I got 96 in that Physics exam."

Rissler: "Who sat in front of you?"

Ed. Connor: "How long can a man live without brains?"

F. Creagan: "Dunno, but how old are you?"

Miss M.: "Now X equals 0."

Bryan: "Gosh, all that work for nothing."

Miss Anderson (in Physics class): "Students, I want very short definition of two natural magnets."

Dow: "Blondes and brunettes."

A FRESHMAN'S EXCUSE

Dear Teacher—

Please don't give Ann any more outside reading for it is too cold. She sat outside on the porch Sunday afternoon and as a result she has a bad cold.

Thank you,

Mrs. ————————

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DR. COUE'S DIARY
Day by Day

SEPTEMBER

1. Crash! School begins. Assembly to meet teachers was uncalled for. We saw enough of them during the year. We did enjoy meeting Mr. Crocker, the new superintendent. He's the kind everybody likes.

2. Pigskins cut the breeze this afternoon. First call for football. Prospects look good. Yep, darn good.

9. Seniors elected officers. The Frosh are still getting lost. Gee! but they're green.

11. Big assembly this a. m. for season football tickets. The new P. T. A. president made a long talk. We sure like him. The longer he talks the better we like him.

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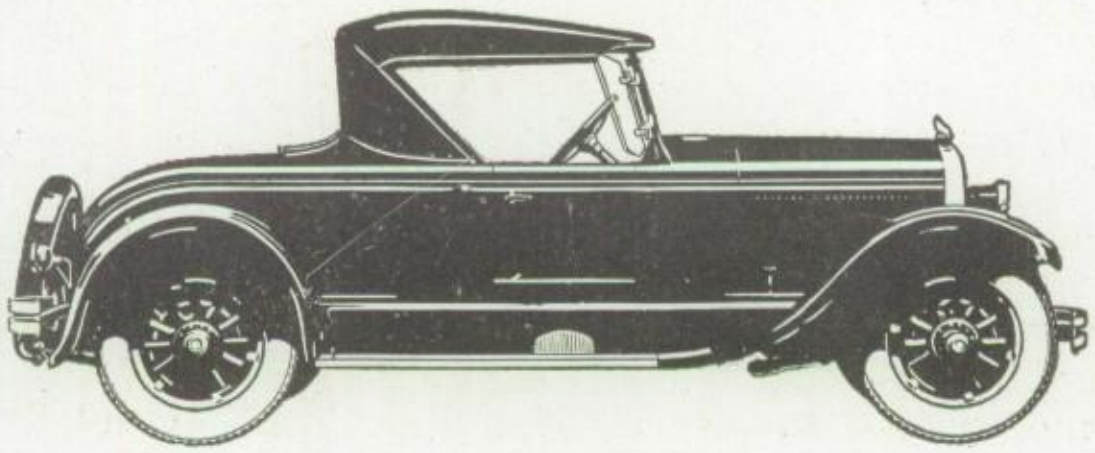

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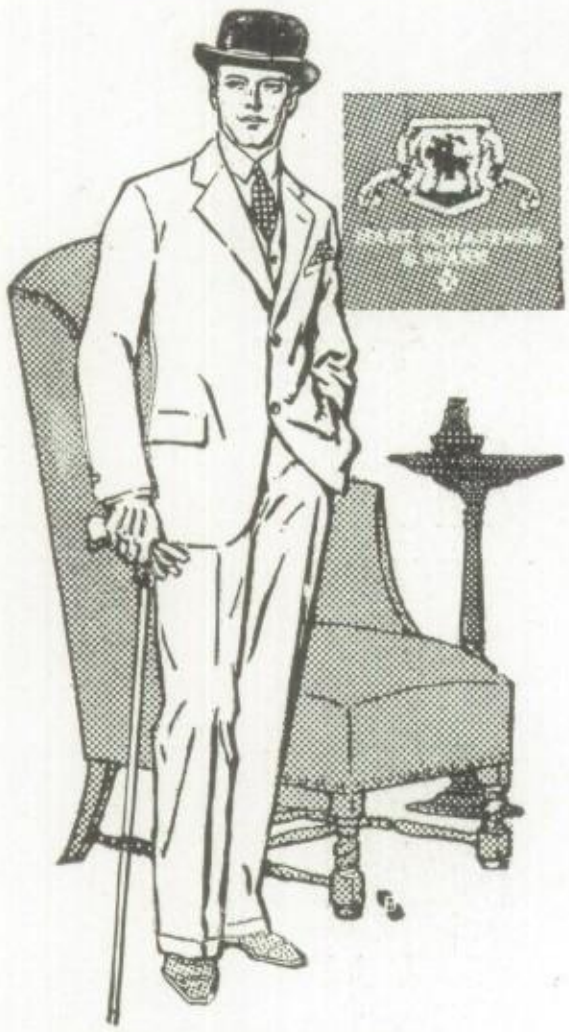

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12. Juniors elected officers this noon. Hurrah! We got out of school for the remainder of the day. Today was National Defense day.

17. Another Assembly today for the school activities.

18. A rumor passed around that the Sophs had elected officers this noon.

19. Activities started today, which means Friday the big day in the week for the remainder of the year.

25. The Spiz Girls were ambitious and cleaned and shined up the school's large collection of trophy cups. Some job, too, I'll say.

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19. Hurray! Football begins. Had a big pep meeting this morning for the game with Manual H. S. of K. C.

21. Too bad, we lost the game; but they're not in our conference and the season's yet a pup.

25. Ross Cunningham broke his finger playing football. Yep, he's butter-fingered.

28. One month down, first in 10, and eight to go.

OCTOBER

2. Hot Dog! Another assembly for the game with Slater.

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6. Blue Monday again and the score was 0 to 0.

9. The school had a good laugh and a real surprise today when Johnny Waddell fell down the steps and Mr. Poor's 5th hour history class had their lesson for once.

13. Ah! the kids had a sandwich sale today. I believe it was the Du-Riters that gave it.

16. The building trembled today, the pep meeting was so big. It sure looks like Columbia High's men will have to fight for that game tomorrow.

20. Today "ain't" blue Monday. We won the game 7 to 0. Really it would have been best to have dismissed school today.

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23. Everything is so quiet and everybody is so serious. Is there a reason? I'll say so. Quarterly exams are only a day or two off.

24. We have a game with Sweet Springs soon. Oh! I forgot to put in about "Kid Day," the Seniors had. Freshmen and Seniors all looked alike.

27. A fudge sale today. The sweetest thing I can say.

29. The telephone rang today in the office and the Freshmen all left the study hall.

31. We have a game with Marshall and that "ain't" all. The ghosters and the goblins come out tonight.

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13. The Camp Cookers all went rabbit hunting today. Too bad, and nobody got hurt.

14. Game tomorrow with Lexington. Probably will not have a large crowd. Everybody is on the sick list who attended the C. C. Banquet.

17. Gosh! Lexington had a special train, gang, Band and everything, but looks don't count. We beat 'em 17 to 0.

20. Big Assembly and "pep" meeting for the game with Jeff. City, down the Mo. P., tomorrow.

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24. Mondays ain't what they used to be. Ha! Ha! We walked away with Jeff. City, 52 to 0.

26. Assembly today for the presentation of the Thanksgiving play. A silver offering was collected. The majority of boys can't tell copper from silver.

We play Joplin tomorrow, and then football is and ain't no more.

DECEMBER

1. The cold white month is with us at last, but not much of it's going to be spent at school, for the holidays begin day before the 19th.

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4. I guess bob-sledding hasn't been pretty keen the last few days. But it had its reaction on school attendance just the same.

9. Fudge sale today, don't forget your nickel.

12. A freshman thought he heard Sandy Claws while in the study hall and he ran to the window and threw up the sash.

16. Christmas does bring an appetite. The halls have been nothing but candy, sandwich and doughnut booths all week.

19. The day has come. School is dismissed for the holidays. The Dramatic Club had a Christmas Tree and the Editor of the Archives played Santa Claus.

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5. Every student has answered present with one or more resolutions broken already. Sign on the board says, Sedalia girls basketball team plays Knobnoster girls the 10th.

9. Another assembly. If they don't stop making so much noise Old S. H. S. will need a new roof.

12. Hurray! They won.

14. Basketball has started with a boom. The boys play the Tyros Club tomorrow, Independence High 16, Manual High in K. C. 17, and the girls will play Lamonte 16, and California 17.

19. I hate to write. This is blue Monday. It reminds me of the time my cat caught its head in the pitcher and couldn't get it out. We had to cut the cat's head off to get the cat out and break the pitcher to get the head out.

22. In my gloom the other day forgot to tell you that the girls won both of their games.

23. The boys are going to play Higginsville Saturday and the girls are going to play Tipton. Two enemies meet a single foe.

26. We sure had two real, honest to goodness, genuine victories last Saturday.

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2. A big assembly this morning for the Archives. Subscription sales started off big.

3. The Etiquette Club had another candy sale today. We wonder if they have to buy etiquette.

5. The Girls' team goes to Fulton this morning and the Boys' to Marshall. We wish them good luck.

6. The Boys' team brought home the bacon and now they've gone to Slater to gather the eggs. While on the subject, the Camp Cookers had a sandwich sale today.

7. Much excitement today. Norine Sullivan had her golden locks cut off today.

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11. The Domestic Science classes had a tea today. They all dressed up like valentines, the band was there and everything.

13. The Camp Cookers had another sale today, but they all must be in love. They sold heart-shaped cakes. The Freshmen elected officers this afternoon.

16. There is a game by the Boys tomorrow night with Slater and another one the following night with Marshall. We'll beat both of them.

17. Today the Seniors had a meeting and elected Nola Witte as Queen and Morris Sims class reporter.

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20. Sophs elected Dorthy Claycomb, Queen, and Ella Dow reporter, this noon.

20. A pep meeting after activity period today, for the Game with Independence tonight.

23. My deepest sympathies are extended to the rural students. The Teacher Training classes are teaching in the country all this week.

24. The Glee Club's Cantata "The Swallow" comes off tonight. It was a big success in every way.

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MARCH

2. Monday is passing so slowly again it would really suit us not to come to school until Tuesday.

5. Ah! A sandwich sale today. That's how we spend our nickels.

10. The Poster Club gave the best sale today. A Hot Dog Sale, and cold buns. The dogs are now scarce about the village.

13. I'm not saying anything, for today is also Friday.

16. Tonight we have the National Oratorical Contest for this District in the auditorium tonight.

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17. Everybody has on a green necktie, I suppose to display the true factions of the brain. Kemper won the debate last night, but we placed second. We're proud of Margaret McGaw for her stand she made last night.

20. No more hard work the remainder of the year. 'Tis the frst day of spring and the beginning of laziness, too.

22. Of all the long and sad faces the students ever wore before. I know it's the day of grad cards.

23. Ah! A big li le pie sa le was held od y. Gee, bu we go sick along hrough h d y.

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APRIL

1. We had some fun this morning. When Ruble forgot to put on his socks, Mr. Poore defined a difference in opinion.

3. Friday the last day for datum for the Archives, found the Staff as busy as cranberry merchants.

6. Track is going in full force now with Buschman as coach on hand; the best result is foretold.

7. Burke is fast becoming history for us. The Seniors still wondering if the man was quite bright.

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10. Everybody's got the spring fever, I guess the day they mope around school.

15. The track team has had a little hard luck. The recent rains have made practice impossible.

16. The Boys went to Marshall for the track meet and placed second behind Marshall. They must have been doing some running for there were some good teams there.

17. The team left for California this morning. We wish them good luck in every event.

20. Well, I guess they didn't come out so terribly bad after all. The Higginsville meet is to come next.

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27. The week was a great success. And the track season this year will soon be ending after the meet in Warrensburg, which we will enter. We placed way up among the first at Higginsville.

MAY

1. I guess everybody is jumping into the exams head first. You've got to this year to get by.

10. Five more days and Seniors' troubles will be over, for bad or for worse. They get out of school a week earlier than the rest of the school does.

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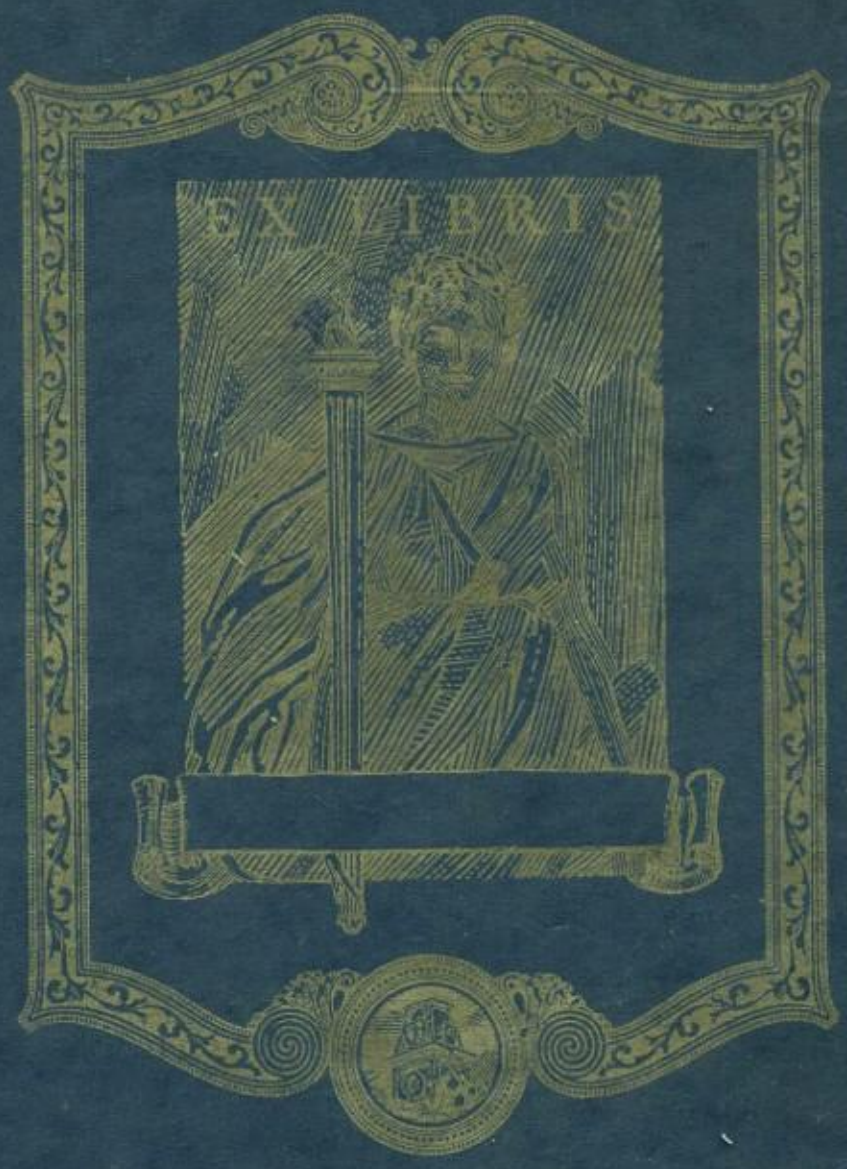
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